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The Frasher Family

Makager Frasher came from Batelourt County, Virginia, about 1800, and settled, in what is now Wayne County, West Virginia, on the waters of Big Sandy River, near Louisa Kentucky. He was born and died in Lawrence County, Kentucky Nov. 9, 1843. From an affidavit filed by his widow Oct. 13, 1846, we learn that he was married to Susan Hamillon, in Augusta County, Virginia. This affidavit alleges that the declaration was made by her in order to obtain the "benefit" of the provision ^{made by the} ~~of the~~ Act of Congress passed July 4, 1836. Micajah Frasher was a Revolutionary soldier having established his claim to a pension while living in Lawrence Co., Kentucky, his pension certificate being dated Feb. 28, 1843, and recorded in the Pension Office, in E. 2, Vol. 7, page 17, and made payable in Louisville, Kentucky.

Susan Hamllon, his wife, stated that she was born in Orange County, Virginia, and that she removed with her parents to Amherst County, where she lived at the time of her marriage. She further declared that her husband served several "tours" in the Revolution, and that he was present when Lord Cornwallis surrendered, but that at that time, they ^{had} two, if not three children. Her affidavit was made before Samuel Webb, a Justice of the Peace, for Wayne County, Virginia, and he certified that her declaration was entitled to full confidence and respect.

Hugh Bowen, Clerk of the Wayne County Court certified that, on Tuesday, Oct. 13, 1846, evidence satisfactory to the Court was exhibited to the Court that Micager Frazier was a pensioner of the United States.

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at the rate ³ of sixty dollars per annum.

John Wellman of Wayne County, on Oct. 14, 1846, made an affidavit before Samuel Webb, that he was sixty-seven years old, that in the year 1777, or about that time, that Micajah Frasier, moved into Russell County, Virginia, and settled near his (Wellman's) father's home, and that since that time he had always resided within three miles of said Frasier and wife, Susan, with the exception of some few years when the Frasers lived in Missouri. That when he first knew them, they had two or three married children, and that three or more of their children were older than Mr. Wellman, and that he believed they must have lived together, as man and wife, more than seventy years ago, and that a grandson, a ^{second} son of their oldest daughter, Nancy,

died as a soldier at Norfolk, Va., in the War of 1812.

Oct. 14, 1846. John Thompson also made an affidavit, stating that he was seventy-one, that he knew both Macajah and Susan Fraser, and that their daughter Nancy's age did not vary more than a year from his, and that from the ages of the eldest children, they must have lived together as man and wife more than seventy years ago, that is as early as 1776. Thompson stated that he lived about four miles from the Frasers.

Oct. 31, 1846, Jefferson Kinner, Clerk of the Court of Augusta County, Va., certified that no record of marriages was kept in Augusta County, previous to 1785; hence he was ~~not~~ unable to find any record of the marriage of Micajah Frasier and Susan Hamilton.

Other statements show that Susan Frasier received sixty dollars per year. She swore, on August 12, 1848, that she was 95 years old, hence, she must have been born in 1753. Elder D. K. Frasier stated that she died in 1852, at 112 years of age, and that "Mc Cager" Frasier was born in 1736, and died in 1843, at 107 years of age, and that Susan Frasier was born in 1740. It is now impossible to know the exact dates, but it is evident that both died at a very advanced age.

Micajah and Susan Frasier were the parents of twelve children, six boys and six girls, viz.:

Lewis, William, Haston, John, Mc Cager, George, Nancy, Sarah, Polly, Stacy, Betty, and Vina.

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2126 Reid Avenue
Bluefield, West Virginia
April 27, 1951

Dear Mr. Lambert:

Your letter, addressed to "Mr. D. E. French, or Family", was received a short while ago. My husband, D. E. French, who passed away in 1936, was a descendant of Peter Dinges through a daughter, Mary, who married David French, a son of Matthew French, Revolutionary soldier.

My husband established the Revolutionary record of Peter Dinges in the S.A.R., and it has been established in the D.A.R., also. I suppose you have this information.

It is said that Peter Dinges was born in Holland about 1740. He came to America on the ship, "Brothers", arriving at Philadelphia Sept. 16, 1751. Other members of his family died at sea. He married Mary Smith in 1769, and removed to Montgomery (now Giles) County, Virginia. He died in 1809, and his will is on record in Giles County. He is buried near Oakvale, West Virginia.

It is worthy of note that Peter Dinges was a soldier ~~in~~ the battle of Point Pleasant which many claim was the first battle of the American Revolution, and was at Yorktown when Cornwallis surrendered.

I am sorry I do not have any record of the ^{members of the} family who settled in Logan and Cabell counties. There is a large family connection, of course, many of them prominent in the affairs of that section of the state, and elsewhere. The name is spelled "Dingess", now, but the above mentioned will is signed "Peter Dinges."

I am interested to know you are writing a pioneer history, and I wish you much success. I am sorry I do not have the information you desire, and do not know any older members of the family who would be able to supply it.

Sincerely yours,

Minnie Reid French

Mrs. D. E. French

The Plybous.

April 13, 1951

The Dingus Family

By Clyde Wellman

^{Peter}
Jony Dinguss landed at Philadelphia Sept 2(2), 1751, on a ship named Twin Brothers, Capt. Mirrian was the skipper. The ship sailed from Rotterdam. The Register of the Port of Phila. shows his name spelled Dingis with an asterisk (showing he made his mark) - illiteratt. He was only 13. But on the ship coming over with his parents, scurvy broke out, and all died except a sister. No one knows how many children there were, but some charitable person took the girl and no one knows what became of her. A man named Price who was a cannoner on the James River, Augusta then later Boldouk, later Mont Gomey. He was raised in

home of a man named Price.
 He enlisted in Absalom Ingers
 Battery of Artillery from Montgomery
 Co. He was in Lafayette's Corn
 under Ingers at Battle of York-
 town. In 1782, he settled at
 the Narrows of New River, is
 now buried at Oakdale Cem
 in Mercer Co. A monument,
 showing him as a Rev. soldier

William Ingers, a son
 had a son Dr. Peter Ingers,
 who had a son French Ingers,
 & he had a son Hyke
 Ingers, & his son was Jerry,
 whose only son was Joe. H.

Dr. Peter Ingers was son of
 William Ingers, by ^{Catherine} ~~a~~ ^(Katy) ~~Maggie~~
 McComas (Who?) She was also
 the mother of John Garrett, by
 Benjamin Garrett of Wayne County.

WEST VIRGINIA SOCIETY,
Sons of the American Revolution.

Bluefield, W. Va.

July 23, 1928.

Hon. Jerry Dingess,
Huntington, W. Va.

My dear Mr. Dingess;

I am enclosing you herewith the Revolutionary war record of Peter Dingess. As a matter of convenience to you, I have had it filled in on application blanks, so that all you will have to do will be to finish filling out the blanks with the information and records from Peter Dingess down to you.

I am also attaching a memorandum giving the names of Peter Dingess' children, and whom they married, thinking that this would be of service to you in getting your line from Peter Dingess down.

I hope that you will be able to get your papers filed without any trouble and feel sure that you will.

With best wishes and regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

(Signed) D. E. French,
President.

Peter Dingess. Born about 1740, died in 1800. His wife was Polly Smith, born _____, and died _____. They were married in 1769.

Their children were:

✓ William, born in 1770. Married Nancy McNeely. Peter, Jr. and married Sallie Farley. John married Ann _____.

Charles A.

✓ Elizabeth (Betsy) married first Charles Nealⁱ. Married second, Capt. Wm. Smith. - ^{Jan. 14, 1793} May 18, 1805. ^{Wm. Dingess, Surely}

✓ Susannah, born in 1774, married Ezekial Smith.

— Nancy, who married ^{Feb. 2, 1821} Wm. Henderson, m. 1 — ^{Heyerle} ^{Ask for notes here.} ^{David French, Surely}

Sallie, " " John McClaugherty,

Peggy, " " James Bright,

✓ Mary, born in 1780, and married Capt. David French. ("Polly")
^{June 8, 1787} _____

Births

Peter Dingess was born in the year of our Lord December 16th, 1776

Sarah ^{Farley} Dingess, born March 20, 1787.

William A. Dingess, born October 30th, 1806.

John Dingess, born February 22, 1808.

Guy Dingess, born February 26th, 1810.

Polly Dingess was born March 31st, 1812.

July Yantes Dingess, born July 7th, 1816.

Matildy Dingess, born August 5th, 1818.

Manurvia Dingess, born January 21, 1821.

Harriett Dingess was born January 30th, 1823.

Charles Dingess was born February 1, 1827.

C.G. Dingess was born July 4th, 1820.

E.?

Thomas Dingess was born December 14th, 1863.

C. A. Smoot and Julia Dingess were married on the 13th day of May, 1835.

C.F.Dingess and Elizabeth Toneywere married on the 29th day of November, 1855.

Dr. Peter Dingess,
Mary Stone.

Dike Dingess
Luana Berry.

Rufus French Dingess,
Valeria Witcher.

} Line of Jerry
Dingess, etc.

Application for Membership.
Sons of the American Revolution.

I, _____ being of the age of _____ years hereby apply for membership in this Society by right of lineal descent in the following line from

Peter Dingess

who was born in Holland on the _____ about 1740
and died in Montgomery County, Virginia, on the _____ day of
1800, and who assisted in establishing American independence.

and he, the said Peter Dingess (No.) is the ancestor
who assisted in establishing American Independence while acting in
the capacity of private in La Fayette's Corps, Trigg's Battallion
of Montgomery County, Va. Artillery.

ANCESTOR'S SERVICE.

Peter Dingess served in the American Revolution in Trigg's Battallion of Montgomery County, Va., Artillery in La Fayette's Corps at the battle of Yorktown.

See Johnston's "History of the Middle New River Settlements",
pages 84 and 453; Chalkley's "Records of Augusta County, Virginia,"
page 464, See National Number 99868 D A R. (Supplementary)

William Druggess (of Logan Co.)

Will Bk. 1 p. 15, 16, & 54,
1822

p. 15 - Inventory - 1815

A large amount of
the usual household goods,
of the time are shown, in part,

- 1 Pair of steelyards
- 1 Steel trap
- 1 Grind stone
- 1 Broad ax
- 1 Felling ax
- 1 Sithe rug and sneed
- 1 flat iron
- 1 Bear skin dress?
- 1 " " "
- 1 " " "

Vo

1 Box window lites

1 Big wheel

Various Tools

1 Pair Pantaloons

4 Whiskey barrels

1 Small still, etc.

Witnesses:

Nancy Druggess

Wm. Henderson

William Thich...

Appraisers:

John Hinchman

Narcissus McDonald

Philip

Date April 2, 1822

The Bill of sale shows
the following names & others:

Peter Hingess Sr.

Nancy Smith

John Hingess

Polly Mc Neely

Henry Farler

Alex. Mc Neely

James White

John Vance

Henry Conley

Ezekiel Smith

Thos. Farley

Munrod "

Archibald Clendenin (Archibald)

William Henderson

Jesse McDonald

Above sale conducted by

April 27, 1822

Nancy Hingess
Wm. Hinchman
H. H.

At another sale:

Most of above were present -
Also Joseph Stratton
John Vance.
Susanna Vance
Evan Ellis

May 27, 1822

Benj. Smith bought
one box of counterments What?
"Archibald ~~Clendenen~~ barrel of
"trumpy". What is it

Cabell Co. Grantees - Huggess

Deed Bk. 1 p. 18-1809

- ✓ 1 p. 186
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✓1-291

✓1-399

all to 1887

✓1-406

✓1-422

✓2-90

✓2-100

✓2-101

✓2-123

✓2-128

✓2-298

✓2-299

✓2-300

✓2-388

✓3-29

✓3-36

✓3-141

✓3-142

✓3-235

✓3-237

✓3-265

✓3-312

✓3-313

✓3-418

✓3-495

✓3-498

✓3-499

✓3-501

✓3-507

3-532

Deed Bk. 1 p. 18.

March 7, 1809, Peter Hingus Esq;
of Giles Co., Va., for \$1000, deeds
to William and Peter Hingess Jr.,
of Cabell Co. (Logan) a., on
Guyandott, at the mouth of
Mill Creek, known by the name
of the Big Island, deeded to
sd Peter, by John Preston.

Req. on the south
side of the fork or said
creek.

The calls show that
this land was located on
both sides of the river.
Acreage not given, but the
longest line was 200 poles.

Deed Bk 1 p. 186

April 17, 1812, Henry Farler,
for \$, deeds To John Hingess,
a. surveyed for Thomas —
—, "known by the name
of the big spring and place
where the said Farler now
lives", deed To him by David
Morgan — 272 a., on the
river.

Deed Bk. 1 p. 199.
April 2, 1812, Ezekiel Smith,
for \$200, "lawful money of Virginia",
deeds to

Part of the Wm. Ward
survey (No. 7), deeded to
Smith, by Robert Rens, Atty for
Ward, on the river, etc
160 a.

Deed Bk. 1 p. 332
June 25, 1813. William
Hingess made oath that he
came into the State that
day with three slaves, for
the "purpose of becoming a
citizen".

Deed Bk. 1 p. 420.

Oct. 1, 1814, John Sanson
for \$, deeds to Wm. Hin-
gess, 100 a., on Guy. River
part of William Ward 7th
survey,

Beg. at the mo. of Limestone
Branch, crossing the river,
& again " " "

"at the upper end of the lot
Tom that Squire Loney
(Wm. Jones & Peter Hingess & P.)

Deed Bk. 2 p. 97.

July 3, 1815, Ezekiel Smith,
for \$, deeds to Wm. Hingess,
50 a., on Guyandotte River, at
the mouth of Hingess Creek
Beg. by a Large Gum by a
rock in the narrows, & up
to the mouth of said creek
and up it, & to beg., etc

Deed Bk. 2 p. 297

~~May~~ ^{April} 28, 1818, James Bias,
for \$ 300 , deeds to Wm. Hin-
gess, 500 a., ^{in all but 50 sold,} lying on Guyan-
dotte, patented to Wm. Ward

Beg. on W. side of Guyandotte
"at the mo. of the first creek
emptying into the river below
the mouth of Crawley's Creek."
and down the river, etc
To where John Sansom deeded
to Bias (Bias to Sansom)

Deed Bk. 2 p. 339

Nov. 10, 1818, Henry and Sally Farler, for \$1000, deeds to Peter Hingress of Cabell Co., and Andrew Burns of Monroe Co., 5⁵⁰ a., on Sandy River.

Req. at cor. to Angus McDonald.

Req. on Sandy in a line of a military survey to Angus McDonald & Co.,

Located both in Va. & Kentucky - 120 a. sold to Robin Tabar, & William and Solomon Perry

Deed Bk 3 p. 19

~~March 24, 1815~~

May 31, 1819, Esom and Mary Harmon, of Batetown Co., for \$200, deed to Peter Hingress Jr., ~~deed to~~ for 1500 a., on Guyandotte river, part of 1700 a., granted May 4, 1795, 200 a., of which was sold to Stollings

Req. on the river "about a mile above a place called a peach nursery".

Deed Bk. 3 p. 199

May 22, 1820, William Buffington, for \$1⁰⁰, deeds to William Huggess, makes a quit claim deed a tract granted to Buffington Oct. 5, 1812

Beq. on the W. bank of Guyan River, "at the upper end of the first close narrows, below the mouth of Huffs Creek," on the west side of Guyandotte 25 a. - extends to the lower end of an island, & back to upper end, etc (See)

Deed Bk. 3 p. 206

June 2, 1820, Wm. Buffington, for \$1⁰⁰, deeds to Peter Huggess, makes quit claim deed, 25³/₄ a., on Big Pigeon Cr., a branch of the Left hand fork of Sandy River, "below the mouth of the Rock House fork of said creek

Oct. 4, 1820, William Hutchinson and Jesse Toney, in consideration of a deed executed to them by Edmund Morris, to William Hutchinson and co. partners, being a part of 8 tracts, 500 each, which Edmund Morris purchased of Mark Russell, sheriff, Aug. 5, 1815, and deeded to them by said Morris, on Guy. R. and joining Wm. H's land, etc., "at the upper end of Cloyd's Island, etc. (includes sd. Island) 150 a.

Deed Bk. 3 p. 265

Oct. 3, 1820, Wm. Hingess sells and delivers unto John Hingess, eight negro slaves, etc.

Deed Bk 3 p. 631

March 26, 1823, Nancy Hingess, widow and relict of William Hingess, dec'd., for \$, deeds to Peter Hingess Sr.,

Copy in full.

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This deed recites that whereas she is entitled to dower in her husband's land, at "Let's up" to negroes owned by her husband, she "has instituted against John Dugess, and against the heirs" of her late husband two suits, "being desirous" and the said party of the second part being desirous on his own part to acquire whatsoever right the said party of the first part has to dower and to the personal estate and negroes of the said deceased, and being desirous on the part of his brothers and sisters to compromise and settle said suit, and procure their discontinuance of the same to which the said party of the first part consents

(It seems that she and her husband had separated & he owed her alimony)
She accepts \$1200 for all claims

Deed Bk. 7 p. 59

Cabell Co.

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Jan. 8, 1838, Jacob Marcum of
Cabell Co., for \$1⁰⁰, deeds to
William Hingess (Same County)

Beg. at on the
bank of Big Fork, about the
mo. of Bull Creek, — 45 acres
(Another Wm. Hingess)

Gravelors Cabell Co

Deed Bk. 1 p. 48

July 26, 1810, William Hingess
of Cabell Co., and David French,
of Kan. ^{Giles}, for \$100, deed to
James Workman, a., on
the Spruce Fork of Cole River,
and Little Cole.

Beg. at mo. of Spruce
Fork, etc.

Deed Bk. 1 p. 291

April 3, 1813, William and
Peter Hingess, for \$400, deed
to Richard Farrell, 100 a., on
the Big Fork of Sandy R.

Beg. on the bank of the
river at the upper end of
the bottom Farrell lives in
(Hensley mentioned)

Deed Bk. 1 p. 399

Jan. 27, 1814, Philip Ballard
deeds to Henry Farley, for \$200,

(This land on Sandy R. - Ing Fork)
complicated. Study

~~Deed Bk. 1 p. 399~~

Deed Bk. 1 p. 406

Jan. 27, 1814 - Similar to
above

Deed Bk. 1 p. 422

Oct. 1, 1814, William Hingess
for \$300 deeds to John Sisson,
100 a., on Spruce Fork of
Cole River.

Wm. Toney & Peter
Hingess J. P's. but note
bad spelling.

Deed Bk. 2 p. 90

Aug. 17, 1813, Peter Hingess,
for \$100 cents, deeds to Squire Toney
a track, 500 a., part of Wm.
Ward's seventh survey by

James Bias and Ezekiel Smith,
400 a., the same being deeded
to P. Hingess, by James Bias
and Ezekiel Smith sd. part
bounded as follows; etc.:

"Beg. on the N. E. side of
Guyandotte river;" etc., supposed
to be 190 a.

Witnesses

William Hingess

Ezekiel Smith

John Soney

Henry Farley

Benj. Ward

Deed Bk. 2 p. 100

Feb. 17, 1816. Wm Hingess,
for 1 cent, deeds to William
Hempsey, a., lying on
the Middle Fork of Island
Creek (dated 3-13-13)

Deed Bk. 2 p. 101.

July 3, 1815, William Hingess
for 1 cent, deeds to Benj. Smith
Witnesses
Wm Hempsey
Ezekiel Smith
a., "lying on the main
Fork of Island Creek.

Deed Bk. 2 p. 123

May 14, 1816. Wm. Lingess,
for \$300, , deeds to Wm.
Hansley, 100 a., (date-
11-8-08) on Sandy R.,
and known by the name
of the "Long Bottom".
468 poles on the
river

Deed Bk. 2 p. 128.

Nov. 30, 1813. Wm. &
Nancy Lingess, for \$, deed
~~to~~ ^{and} David French, and
Polly, his wife, of Giles Co.;
~~deed to~~ ^{and} Philip Wager of
Cabell Co. of the other
part

600 a., on the
Spruce Fork of Cole River

"Beg at the lower
end of Thomas Workman
improvement" (on both
sides of the river)

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Deed Bk 2 p. 298

May 18, 1818, Wm. Huggess,
for \$1⁵⁰, deeds to Evan Ellis,
60 a., of 160 acre tract,
lying on Island Creek.

Deed Bk. 1 p. 406

Jan. 27, 1814, Wm. Huggess,
for \$500, deeds to Henry Farley,
117 a., part of 950 a.,
lying on Sandy River,

"Beg. at the middle of
the narrows west, above Henry
Philips," and with its
meanders, so "as to include
the bottom where Jonathan
claimed, and to include
the land grant purchase
of (Philip?) Ballard," and
leaving the river and on
to the hill, so as to in-
clude the school house"

School

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Deed Bk. 1 p. 422

Not important

Deed Bk. 2 p. 240 & 240

Aug. 3, 1815, William Ward lands went delinquent for taxes, and Mark Russel Sheriff, sold same for taxes.

8 tracts of 600 a. =
4000 a.,

Edmund Morris bid them in, but Peter Huggess, Jesse Toney, and William Hinchman redeemed them, and Edmund Morris relinquished his rights

Deed Bk 2 p. 299

May 18, 1818, Wm. Huggess sells to Philip Ellis. for 1 cent, 50 of 160 a., on the Main Fork of Island Creek.

Deed Bk. 2 p. 300

Wm. Huggess, for 500, deeds
to Robert Lilly, 250,

Beq. at the mo. of the
first small creek below
the mo. of Crawley's Creek
by an old encampment,
(now Chapmanville) where
the names of John Morris,
Cobbs and others are on
a beech tree.

Witnesses

John Stone

Benj. Smith

Joseph Stratton.

Deed Bk 2 p. 388

April 27, 1819, Wm. Huggess
for 1/4 deeds to Wm. Davis
supposed to contain 100 a.,
part of 950 acres granted
to Wm Huggess & Philip
Ballard, on the Jug Fork
of Sandy River, Beq. in
the middle of the narrow
above where said Davis
lives" (a steep gulch by a
large lick mountain)

Deed Bk. 3 p. 29

March 12, 1819. John and
Chloe Hingess, for \$200, deed to
Mary Mc Donald, Jonas & John
(Mc D.) of Montgomery Co., Va.,
2 1/2 acres, patented to
Thos. Huff, and known
by "the big spring place",
deeded by Henry Farley to
John Hingess,

witnesses

Richard Elkins

Peter Hingess

Harland Conley

James Elkins

Deed Bk. 3 p. 36.

15 deeds yet.

April 27, 1819, Peter
Hingess, for \$, deeds to
John Hemsey, on Mud Creek,
etc

Deed Bk 3 p. 141

Febr 7, 1820, William
Hingess, for 1 \$, deeds to
James Christian, 25 a.,
part of 50 a., lying on
Run Creek.

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"opposite the upper end of
Robert Mc Neely's Mill dam", etc

Deed Bk. 3 p. 142

Feb. 7, 1820, Wm. Hingess.
for 1 & 1, deeds to Robert Mc
Neely, 25 a., etc

Deed Bk. 3 p. 235

Oct. 4, 1820, Peter Hingess
and Jesse Toney, for
deed to Wm. Hinchman,
"for and in consideration
of a deed to them, by
Edmund Morris, made to
Hingess and co-partners,
being part of 8 tracts
of 500 a., each, deeded to
Morris, by Mark Russell
(Tax sale) Part of No. 2

"Begins" near a road
where John Perry now lives
and "below the upper
end of Cloyd's Island"
"crossing the river, at the
upper end of said island"

Deed Bk. 3 p. 237

Peter Dugess, Jesse Toney
and Wm. Hutchinson, for \$10,
deed to Squire Toney, 190 a.
part of No. 7 of Ward's survey.

Deed Bk. 3 p. 265

Oct. 2, 1820, Wm. Dugess
sells to John Dugess, 8
negro slaves, for \$2000,
Slaves named

Deed Bk. 3 p. 312

April 7, 1821,
Wm. Dugess, deeds to
Henry Perry, 75 a., part
of tract patented to Wm.
Buffington, Oct. 5, 1812,
lying on Guyardotte R.,

Deed Bk. 3 p. 313.

April 7, 1821, Wm. Dugess
deeds to James Perry, 100 a.,
patented to same, Nov. 13,
1812, opposite Toney
Island, 100 acres.

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Deed Bk. 3 p. 418

April 23, 1821, Peter and
Sarah Dingess, for 1201
acres to David Mc Neely,
both of Cabell Co., 50 a.,

"on Guyandotte river, joining
& being a part of the tract
of land, that William Hud-
man now lives on", surveyed
for Wm. Ward

Req. a little below the
upper end of an island
and at the upper end of
the narrows, on the east
side of the river thence
crossing 3d river so as
to include all of said
island, etc. Sarah did
not sign deed.

Deed Bk. 3 p. 495

April 23, 1821. Peter &
Sarah Dingess, for \$1⁰⁰ ^{current money}, deed
to Daniel Ebbins.

Req. at mo. of Run Creek
(Part of Ward survey, &
this gives full history of same.

Deed Bk. 3 p. 498

April 25, 1820, Wm. Dingess,
for 1/4, deeds to Joseph
Stratton, a part of tract
patented to Wm. Dingess (9-13-18)
(difficult to locate)

Deed Bk 3 p. 499

April 23, 1821.

Peter and Sarah Dingess,
for \$1⁰⁰, deeds to Allen Chris-
tian Sr., 50 a., part of
Wm. Ward survey. beg. "at
the mo. of a creek called
Run?", down the river to
Smith Shoal and below
where said Christian now
lives. Includes the Island
(in Run Cr. ~~is~~) "near where
Daniel Elkins now lives"

Deed Bk 3 p. 501

April 23, 1821, Peter & Sarah
Dingess, for \$1⁰⁰, deed to
Daniel Elkins, 50 a., part of
Ward survey,

The island
was at forks
of Run Cr.

Beg. at mo. of Run Cr.

Deed Bk 3 p. 507

March 20, 1822, Wm. Hingess.
for \$14, deeds to Benj. Smith
part of a tract of 200 a.,
patented to Wm Hingess (9-13-18)
(See patent to locate)

Deed Bk 3 p. 532

April 8, 1822, Peter
Hingess. for 100¢, deeds to
Nathaniel Mullens. 100 a.,
on Buffalo Cr. of same county,
Reg. near Mud Lick.

Deed Bk 3 p. 621

March 25, 1823, Nancy
Hingess, widow and relict
of Peter ^{Wm} Hingess,

Whereas Nancy Hingess.
is entitled to dower in
certain tracts of land and
has a widow's interest in
certain negroes

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She brought two suits against
John Dingess, and the heirs of
William Dingess,

one suit in the Court
in Chancery
and one in the Superior
Court

(Previously explained)

She compromised for
\$1200.

Above are all in Cabell Co.

Marriages in Montgomery
and Newcastle Co

David French

m. Polly Hingess, dau.
of Wm. Hingess, Surely

June 8, 1787

From Swans Creek Logan Co.
Hingesses of Logan Co.

William Hingess owned the land
now covered by the City of Logan

p. 62 - William Henderson of
Montgomery Co. m. a dau. of
Peter Hingess.) settled
where J. M. White once lived, in
1810, and after a few years,
moved to a farm once
owned by James Henderson. He
was both a school teacher,
and a class leader in the
Methodist Church. and both po-
sitions did much to point the
youth of that generation to
high and noble aims in life.

His sons were John who m.
a dau. of General McComas,
and moved to Missouri

Henry G. who m. a Miss
Alexander & moved to Texas.

Hingess Henderson m. Nat
of Carroll Co.
His daus. were

Mary Henderson m. Joe Stratton

———— m. Ben Smith of Buffalo

and as the family afterward became a prominent one, more will be said in a future Chapter.

Betty Henderson m. John McDonald, She d. March 11, 1896, lacking one day of being 90 years old, having been born near Parisburg, Va., March 12, 1806.

(The Hendersons lived on the river - Guyandotte?)

James Butcher, son of Joshua and Sarah Clark, who came from Monroe Co., m. Hingess, dau. of John Hingess. Both were living, in 1927.

Rebecca Butcher m. William Hingess of Harris Creek

n. 61 - William Toney m. Polly
Capertone of Monroe Co. and
settled on the Toney farm.

One of his daughters,
Bettie Toney m. Charles F.
Lingess, son of — — —
and — — — ?

Rhoda Toney m. Guy Lingess.

n. 60 Mary Ann Butcher, dau. of
Joshua Butcher m. William (Crawley
Bill) Smith

Among her children were
Mrs. W. D. Garrett, Mrs. J. S.
Lingess, Mrs. Geo. S. Page, etc.

n. 56 - Garland Conley m.
a dau. of Henry Farley, settled
on Island Creek. One of his
sons Colonel Henry Conley m. 2 —
a widow Lingess, dau. of Wash-
ington Adams

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Josiah Stollings, son of Jacob Stollings, had a daughter who m. William Hingess

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Wm. B. Chapman, son of Edward Chapman married a dau. of John Hingess of Back Creek.

p. 84 - A paragraph on a voting law, Jan 31, 1817, "at the house of William Hingess, at the Island of the Guyandotte river", etc. People to vote there.

p. 85. Wm. Hingess elected to the Legislature 1820-23 ind. had passed the act for the new county.

p. 114 - First term of Circuit Court held at home of William Hingess. May 7, 1824.

All co. records were destroyed May 1, 1864. Burned by Gen. Averill

n 52 & 51.
n. 53 -

The first permanent settlement of which we have any record was made by Wm. Druggess, son of Peter Druggess of Montgomery Co., in 1799. Peter Druggess was a German, but when or under what circumstances he came to America is not known.

One of his prominent descendants says he came to Montgomery Co., before the Revolution.

One acct. says he came with his parents between 1750 & 1760, they embarked for America but disease carried them off. He & a sister landed at Baltimore, neither of whom could speak a word of English. They were separated & he never saw her again.

Wandering about the streets of Baltimore, a merchant from Montgomery Co., took charge of him where he grew up, married and served in the Revolution. Had 4 boys & 7 girls.

Hingess

Peter Hingess presumably came from the Palatinate, during the time of a great migration. came to Philadelphia, Sept. 3, 1751, in ship Town Bros., sailed from Rotterdam (Reference Rupp's Thirty Thous. and Names - of Germans who arrived in the Port of Philadelphia. He was 13 (b. 1738?) Name given on book as "Hugis" - signed by mark as shown by asterisk. His family was wiped out at sea. A story in Sat. Evening Post, by Conrad Buckner, "The Free Man", describes

When Peter landed a man named Price from James River Valley to Augusta County, later Botetourt Co. Price took Peter Hingess and raised him.

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Peter was in Col.
Absalom Triggs
Battery of Artillery, Artillery
man, La Fayette's Corp., at
Yorktown. There is a
monument erected by D.A.R.'s
in Oakvale, ^{Camp} Mercer Co.,

He married Mary Smith
da. of Phoebe Dunbar of
Botetourt County. I don't
know where the record is.
Phoebe Dunbar m. 2 Wm.
Anderson. ~~He~~ After Yorktown
(1781), Peter Hingess in 1782
came to near Parisburg,
Giles Co., and settled.

Children - 4 sons & 6 daus.
William Hingess, oldest
son. Jerry Hingess was
a descendant.

He m. Miss Neal of
Culpeper Co.

He came from the
New River Settlement
was a frontier militia
man under Capt.
Henry Farley against

When he was a militia man, there was an Indian Incursion in S.W. Va. He with Capt. Farley chased the Indians to mouth of Guyandotte. When they passed Logan, he became attracted to the Island. It was then Montgomery. He went back and found it owned by John Breckenridge. He bought it and 100's of acres, including all Town of Logan & up Guyan to Hollings to Run Creek & up Run Cr. for \$360.

About 1799, he & two bros., Peter Jr. & John Huggess came to Logan Co. & cleared & cropped the Island. No families; then returned home in Montgomery & next year 1800, persuaded Capt. Henry Farley to come with them. Farley built a large log house where Peach Cr. is now

Farley came & located his family & Garland Copley his son-in-law. All Logan Co. Farleys are descended from his sons. He had at least two daughters Sally m. Peter Dingess Jr. 1805.

Record probably in Kan. Co.

Chloe m. John Dingess, brother to Peter. m. 1805

Peter Dingess Jr. b. 1784

m. 1805,

d. 1858

m. Sally Farley, dau. of Henry

She b. 1787

d. 1860.

Their first child, Wm. Anderson

Dingess was b. Oct. 30, 1806.

d. Dec. 13, 1893.

He was first white child b. in Logan Co. He m Gertrude Smith,

March 20, 1829.

She b. Sept. 21, 1811,

d. 6/14/100

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They lived at Dingess,
Logan Co. (Now Mingo)

He was a surveyor & ran
out about 3000 $\frac{1}{2}$ a. on head
of 12 Pole where Dingess is
now. He was Logan Co. Surveyor.
He did much surveying.
Devil Anse Hatfield was
named for him.

He had a large family
~~Wm~~ ^{Peter} Harvey Rev., preacher
& assessor, & liked
good liquor.

Charles ~~son~~. Died young.

Napoleon Bonaparte -
With Logan wild
cats. Killed in
Civil War.

Harriet m. Jim Billups
of Wayne Co. No
children. Lived on
Mill Cr., back of
Ft. Gay. Buried
near home some
where

5. Sylvanus (Vane) m. ———

Marion

Lived at Hingess.

Killed about 1896.

killed in a row
by Charley Stone.

He ran off but
was arrested at

Louisa & tried at
Williamson. ^{Came clear} Vane

was a large man
(6 ft. 7) & overbearing

Charley shot him.

Plead self defence.

He later became
Sheriff of Lawrence
Co. Ky.

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, m. George Buskirk,
father of Albert & John
Lee. (Not George of
Huntington, but an
uncle)

7. Sally Ann Hingess (Gr. Mother
of Clyde Wellman
m. Laban J. Wellman
Lived at Ft. Gay.

8. David - youngest, lived on
Trace Fork - 3 miles
below Dingess.

m. Mary Borden.

I don't remember all
the children.

Peter Dingess Sr. had a
rather large family.

Dingess in Logan Co.
Census of 1850

88 - John Dingess

143 - Guy

158 - Harvey

160 - Eliza

162 - Peter

167 - John 68

Chloe 60

238 - Peter 57

Mary 49

239 - John Garrell

242. Geo. M. Dingess.

Deed Bk 1 p. 18

March 27, 1809. Peter Hingess Sr.
of Giles Co., Va., for \$1000 deeds
to (his sons), William and
Peter Hingess Jr., of Cabell Co.,
a. on Guyandotte River
"at the mouth of Mill Creek known
by the name of the Big Island"
"deeded to the said Peter H. Sr., by
John Preston," etc. Bounds
but not acreage given.

Deed Bk 1 p. 186

April 17, 1812. Henry Farler,
for \$1500, deeds to John
Hingess, 272 acres, both of
Cabell County. Bounds given
but difficult to locate.

Witnesses:

John Stone.

Ezekiel Smith.

Peter Hingess.

Garland Conley.

Deed Bk 1 p. 199

April 24, 1812, Ezekiel
Smith, ^{& James Bias} for \$200, deeds to
Peter Hingess 500 a., being
part of a tract No. 7, sur-
veyed for William Ward 160 a.
"on the east side of Guyan-
dotte River." etc.

Deed Bk 1 p. 332

June 25, 1813, William
Hingess makes affidavit,
that he "This day came into
the State, for the purpose of
becoming a citizen, and
bringing with me three negro
boys

Stephen about 17

Simon " 8

Abram " 6, and

The taller one purchased of
Capt. John Smith of Kentucky.

-THE WELLMAN FAMILY -

THE WELLMANS SETTLED AT THE FORKS OF BIG SANDY RIVER, WHICH LATER CAME TO BE KNOWN AS CASSVILLE AND FINALLY, FORT GAY IN OCTOBER, 1802, MIGRATING THERE FROM THE CLINCH VALLEY SECTION OF VIRGINIA IN WHAT WAS THEN KNOWN AS WASHINGTON COUNTY--BUT FINALLY PARTITIONED INTO WHAT IS NOW RUSSELL COUNTY. AT THE TIME THE FAMILY LOCATED IN THE BIG SANDY, THAT REGION WAS A PART OF KANAWHA COUNTY, WHICH HAD BEEN FORMED FROM PARTS OF GREENBRIER AND MONTGOMERY COUNTIES IN 1788. IT CONTINUED A PART OF KANAWHA UNTIL 1809, WHEN CABELL WAS FORMED OUT OF THE ~~XXXXXX~~ FORMER.

THE EARLIEST WELLMAN OF WHICH THIS GENERATION HAS ANY DEFINITE KNOWLEDGE WAS, POSSIBLY, BENNETT WELLMAN. HE APPEARS ON THE RECORDS OF DEEDS OF CABELL COUNTY AS BURNET WELLMAN, AS GRANTOR AND GRANTEE IN VARIOUS REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION CONSUMMATED IN THE FIRST THIRD OF THE LAST CENTURY. BUT THIS IS, NO DOUBT, AN ERROR IN TRANSCRIBING THE RECORDS, SINCE JOHN D. WELLMAN, THE OLDEST LIVING WELLMAN AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH--WHICH OCCURRED AFTER HE WAS WELL ADVANCED IN THE NINETIES--, ALWAYS TOLD THE WRITER THAT HE COULD REMEMBER THE ORIGINAL WELLMAN FROM CHILDHOOD, AND THAT HIS NAME WAS BENNETT. THE LATTER WAS THE GREAT GRANDFATHER OF JOHN D.

BENNETT WELLMAN, A SHOEMAKER BY TRADE, LIVED IN BOTH PHILADELPHIA AND BALTIMORE DURING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR. THE YEAR OF HIS SETTLING IN THE CLINCH VALLEY SECTION HAS NOT BEEN HANDED DOWN TO LATE GENERATIONS; BUT IT IS KNOWN THAT HE LED HIS FAMILY, WHICH WAS A LARGE ONE, INTO THE BIG SANDY COUNTRY IN OCTOBER, 1802, COMING BY THE WAY OF POUND GAP AND DOWN LEVISA FORK, A GREATLY TRAVELED ROUTE FOR EMIGRANTS FROM THE SOUTHWESTERN SECTION OF VIRGINIA SEEKING HOMES AND LANDS IN

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THE WEST.

BENNETT WELLMAN IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN OF GERMAN ORIGIN. IT IS DOUBTFUL, HOWEVER, THAT HE WAS BORN IN GERMANY. HIS CHRISTIAN NAME WOULD INDICATE THAT HE WAS NOT. FURTHERMORE, WELLMANS WERE TO BE FOUND IN SEVERAL OF THE COUNTIES FOR SEVERAL DECADES PRECEDING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, PARTICULARLY IN THE NEW ENGLAND SECTION.

AMONG BENNETT'S NUMEROUS CHILDREN WAS ONE JOHN, BORN IN 1779. HE WAS A YOUNG MAN STILL IN HIS EARLY 20'S AND ONLY A SHORT TIME MARRIED WHEN THE FAMILY SETTLED IN THE BIG SANDY COUNTRY. HE HAD MARRIED NANCY WEBB, THE DAUGHTER OF ROBERT WEBB IN THE CLINCH VALLEY COUNTRY. THE WEBBS FOLLOWED THEIR DAUGHTER AND SON-IN-LAW INTO THE NEW COUNTRY IN 1804. JOHN, PROBABLY, WAS THE MOST SUCCESSFUL AND PROSPEROUS OF BENNETT'S CHILDREN. HE BEGAN TO ACQUIRE LAND SHORTLY AFTER ARRIVING AT THE FORKS OF SANDY. HE BECAME A LARGE LANDOWNER AS WELL AS A SLAVE-HOLDER. HIS LAND, WHICH HE ACQUIRED IN PARCELS FROM TIME TO TIME, LAY PRINCIPALLY BETWEEN BIG SANDY RIVER AND MILL CREEK, NAMED FOR A GRIST MILL, THE FIRST TO BE ERECTED IN THAT SECTION, OWNED AND OPERATED BY WILLIAM THOMPSON, ABOUT A HALF MILE FROM THE PRESENT TOWN OF FORT GAY. THIS MILL WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1802.

JOHN WELLMAN WAS THE TENTH SHERIFF OF CABELL COUNTY, SHERIFFS AT THAT TIME SERVING ONLY ONE YEAR TERMS. HE SERVED TWO TERMS--FROM JULY 21, 1823 UNTIL DECEMBER 23, 1825, UNDER APPOINTMENT FROM GOVERNOR JAMES PLEASANTS, JR., OF VIRGINIA. BONDS MEN FOR HIS TERM WERE GENERAL ELISHA MCCOMAS, F. MOORE, HENRY PHILLIPS, HUGH A BOWEN, MOSES MCCOMAS, SAMUEL WEBB, HEZEKIAH ADKINS, ANDREW BARRETT, JESSE TONEY, JOSEPH M. FULKERSON AND WILLIAM B. DAVIS. THE SAMUEL WEBB REFERRED TO HERE WAS A BROTHER TO NANCY WEBB, THE WIFE OF JOHN WELLMAN. SAMUEL WEBB LIVED TO BE 105 YEARS OLD--THE OLDEST MAN IN WAYNE COUNTY AT THE TIME OF HIS DEATH IN THE 1880'S. BONDSMEN FOR JOHN WELLMAN DURING

1885.

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HIS SECOND TERM AS SHERIFF WERE HUGH A BOWEN, EDMUND MORRIS, GENERAL ELISHA McCOMAS, PHILLIP BAUMGARDNER, JOHN LAIDLAY AND JESSE TONEY

IN 1841 JOHN WELLMAN BECAME THE LEADING SPIRIT IN A MOVEMENT TO PARTITION CABELL COUNTY AND SET UP A NEW COUNTY, TO BE KNOWN AS WAYNE, TO BETTER SUIT THE CONVENIENCE OF CITIZENS RESIDING IN THE TWELVE POLE AND THE BIG SANDY VALLEYS. HE HEADED A DELEGATION TO RICHMOND IN DECEMBER, 1841 AND WORKED FOR THE CREATION OF THE PROPOSED NEW COUNTY. THE BILL WAS PASSED, TO BECOME EFFECTIVE IN 1842, THE ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE DESIGNATING JOHN WELLMAN, JOSEPH NAGLEE AND BURWELL SPURLOCK AS COMMISSIONERS TO ESTABLISH THE BOUNDS OF THE NEW COUNTY.

JOHN WELLMAN'S FIRST WIFE DIED ABOUT 1820, AND HE MARRIED A SECOND TIME. THE WRITER DOES NOT KNOW THE NAME OF THIS SECOND WIFE; BUT HER CHRISTIAN NAME WAS LYDIA MARCUM. SHE APPEARS AS JOINING HIM IN LAND CONVEYANCES IN CABELL COUNTY AS LATE AS 1839. ALL OF HIS CHILDREN, HOWEVER, WERE BORN OF HIS FIRST UNION WITH NANCY WEBB. JOHN WELLMAN DIED ON HIS FARM NEAR CASSVILLE, IN 1864.

THE FIRST CHILD BORN TO JOHN AND NANCY WELLMAN WAS JAMES-- ON MARCH 4, 1802, IN THE CLINCH VALLEY COUNTRY--ABOUT SEVEN MONTHS BEFORE THE FAMILY MIGRATED TO THE BIG SANDY RIVER. JAMES WELLMAN MARRIED NANCY WILSON ON APRIL 27, 1822. HIS WIFE WAS BORN IN GREENBRIER COUNTY ON OCTOBER 9, 1803, THE DAUGHTER OF JAMES WILSON, A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER WHO SETTLED IN THE BIG SANDY VALLEY NEAR CASSVILLE DURING THE FIRST HALF OF THE FIRST DECADE OF THE LAST CENTURY.

THE FIRST CHILD BORN TO JOHN AND NANCY WELLMAN AFTER THE YOUNG COUPLE ESTABLISHED THEMSELVES IN THEIR NEW HOME ON SANDY RIVER WAS DAVID. THE DATE OF HIS BIRTH WAS APRIL 11, 1804. CONSEQUENTLY

HE WAS THE SECOND BORN OF THIS UNION, AND ONE OF THE FIRST WHITE CHILDREN BORN IN THE LITTLE SETTLEMENT AROUND WHAT, LATER BECAME CASSVILLE AND FORT GAY. HE MARRIED REBECCA WILSON, WHO WAS BORN ON APRIL 8, 1808, AFTER HER FATHER, THE AFOREMENTIONED JAMES WILSON, HAD MIGRATED FROM ^{the} GREENBRIER COUNTY TO THE BIG SANDY RIVER. SHE WAS THE SISTER OF NANCY, THE WIFE OF JAMES, THE OLDEST BROTHER OF DAVID WELLMAN. IN OTHER WORDS, JOHN WELLMAN'S TWO OLDER SONS MARRIED WILSON SISTERS. DAVID WELLMAN DIED JANUARY 25, 1881 ON HIS FARM, NEAR CASSVILLE. AMONG HIS SONS WERE JOHN D., THE FATHER OF THE LATE MRS. JOHN MARCUM, MRS. DAN A. MOSSMAN, MRS. CHARLES F. WILCOXEN, AND MRS. VICTORIA BLANCHARD, OF HUNTINGTON.

THE THIRD CHILD BORN TO JOHN AND NANCY WELLMAN WAS ROBERT. THE DATE OF HIS BIRTH WAS MARCH 23, 1806. ON JANUARY 29, 1829, HE WAS MARRIED TO MAHALA SHORT, THE DAUGHTER OF SAMUEL SHORT WHO WAS THE FIRST WHITE SETTLER AT THE FORKS OF SANDY. HE ERECTED HIS LOG CABIN THERE IN 1796. HE WAS THE SON OF THOMAS SHORT, WHO ALSO CAME FROM THE CLINCH VALLEY COUNTRY TO THE BIG SANDY SHORTLY AFTER HIS SON SAMUEL, HAD ALREADY SETTLED THERE. THE FATHER WAS ACCOMPANIED BY ANOTHER SON, THOMAS, JR. SAMUEL SHORT'S SON JOHN, WAS THE FIRST WHITE CHILD BORN IN THE SETTLEMENT; HE WAS BORN IN 1801. HE WAS A BROTHER OF THE AFOREMENTIONED MAHALA SHORT, MARRYING ROBERT WELLMAN. THEIR MOTHER WAS ELIZABETH BREEDEN, THE DAUGHTER OF JOHN BREEDEN, WHO SETTLED IN THE BIG SANDY COUNTRY IN 1804.

OTHER CHILDREN OF JOHN AND NANCY WEBB WELLMAN WERE SAMUEL, JEREMIAH, ELISHA, LARUNA, ELIZABETH AND MARY. LARUNA MARRIED WILLIAM BARTRAM, WHO WAS BORN IN CABELL COUNTY ON NOVEMBER 1, 1816, THE SON OF DAVID BARTRAM, WHO WAS A NATIVE OF APPOMATOX COUNTY, VIRGINIA, WHO MIGRATED TO THE BIG SANDY IN 1802. LARUNA WAS BORN MARCH 14, 1818.

ELIZABETH MARRIED NATHAN HOLT, AND WAS KNOWN TO THE COUNTRYSIDE

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AS "AUNT BETTY". MARY MARRIED JOHN FRASHER, BETTER KNOWN AS
"HONEST JOHN." SHE WAS ALWAYS REFERRED TO AS "AUNT POLLY FRA-
SHER".

Fraser - John. - Will

Wall Bk 1 p. 16

(From
Lincoln Co.
Missouri

Oct. 8, 1838, John Fraser, of
Lawrence Co., Ky.

1. I will my Father & Mother \$500
2. To my sister, Sally Thompson \$100
3. " " Brother, Lewis Fraser \$100
4. " " " William " \$100
5. " " Polly Webb \$100
6. " " Julia Raliff \$100
7. " " Sister Elwind Fraser \$100
8. " " Elizabeth Fraser \$100
8. " — Elizabeth Loar \$200
9. " my friend Samuel Smiley \$50.
10. " my brother George Fraser,
to tract of land I bought
of John Rogers, 200 a
on 2 mi. Cr., Lawrence
Co., Ky.

Also 50 a. on Richland
Cr., Lawrence Co., Ky patent
ed to Stephen Austin.

Also residue of my
property.

Samuel Smiley. Lincoln Co., Mo
to be taken.

- REVOLUTIONARY WAR PENSION FILE W-3407, MICAGER FRAZEUR -

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STATE OF VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, SS.

ON THIS, THE 13TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846, PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE ME THE SUBSCRIBER, SAMUEL WEBB, A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR THE SAID COUNTY, SUSAN FRAZEUR, A RESIDENT OF SAID WAYNE COUNTY, AGED 89 YEARS, WHO BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, ACCORDING TO LAW, DOTH ON HER OATH, MAKE THE FOLLOWING DECLARATION IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE BENEFIT OF THE PROVISION MADE BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS PASSED JULY 4, 1836: THAT SHE IS THE WIDOW OF MICAGER FRAZEUR, WHO WAS A REVOLUTIONARY PENSIONER OF THE UNITED STATES; THAT SAID MICAGER FRAZEUR

LIVED IN THE COUNTY OF LAWRENCE AND STATE OF KENTUCKY AT THE TIME HE ESTABLISHED HIS CLAIM TO A PENSION; THAT HIS PENSION CERTIFICATE WAS DATED THE 28TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1843 AND RECORDED IN THE PENSION OFFICE IN BOOK E-2, VOL. 7, PAGE 17, AND MADE PAYABLE AT LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, AND THAT SAID MICAGER FRAZEUR DIED IN SAID LAWRENCE COUNTY ON THE 9TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1843. SHE FURTHER DECLARES THAT SHE WAS BORN IN THE COUNTY OF ORANGE, IN VIRGINIA, THAT HER MAIDEN NAME WAS SUSAN HAMILTON, THAT WHEN SHE WAS ABOUT TWELVE YEARS OLD SHE REMOVED, WITH HER PARENTS, TO AMHERST COUNTY, VIRGINIA, THAT AT THE TIME OF HER MARRIAGE SHE LIVED WITH HER PARENTS IN AMHERST COUNTY, THAT SHE WAS MARRIED IN THE COUNTY OF AUGUSTA IN THE AFORENAMED STATE NEAR THE TOWN OF STAUTON, TO THE SAID MICAGER FRAZEUR BY A CLERGYMAN--OR A MAGISTRATE, AND SHE THINKS, BY THE NAME OF JONES, THAT ABOUT THE TIME OF HER MARRIAGE AFORESAID IT WAS CUSTOMARY FOR PERSONS LIVING IN SAID AMHERST COUNTY TO GO TO THE SAID AUGUSTA COUNTY TO GET MARRIED;

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BUT WHY IT WAS SO SHE CANNOT NOW SAY.

SHE FURTHER DECLARES THAT AFTER HER MARRIAGE WITH THE SAID MICAGER HE, THE SAID MICAGER, SERVED SEVERAL TOURS IN THE WAR OF THE REVOLUTION; THAT HE WAS AT THE TAKING OF CORNWALLIS, THAT AT THE TIME OF THE SURRENDER OF CORNWALLIS THIS DECLARANT HAD TWO-IF NOT THREE-CHILDREN; SHE FURTHER DECLARES THAT SHE WAS MARRIED TO HIM PREVIOUS TO HIS FIRST PERIOD OF SERVICE IN THE WAR AFORESAID BUT CANNOT NOW NAME THE DATE AND YEAR; THAT THERE IS NO FAMILY RECORD OF SUCH MARRIAGE, THAT SHE KNOWS OF NO RECORD OF SUCH MARRIAGE UNLESS THERE IS ONE IN SAID AUGUSTA COUNTY; THAT HER HUSBAND, THE SAID MICAGER FRAZEUR, DIED IN SAID LAWRENCE COUNTY ON THE 9TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1843. BEFORE NAMED. AND THIS DECLARANT FURTHER SAYS THAT SAID LAWRENCE COUNTY WHERE SAID MICAGER FRAZEUR DIED, IS NEARLY OPPOSITE THE PRESENT RESIDENCE OF THIS DECLARANT, AND THAT EVER SINCE THE DEATH OF SAID MICAGER FRAZEUR SHE HAS REMAINED A WIDOW.

HER
SUSAN X FRAZEUR
MARK.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBER, THE INTERLINEATIONS FIRST BEING MADE ON THE DAY AND YEAR FIRST BEFORE WRITTEN, BEFORE ME

(SIGNED) SAM'L WEBB, J.P.

VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, TO-WIT:

I, SAMUEL WEBB, A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH SUSAN FRAZEUR THE FOREGOING DECLARANT, THAT SHE IS A PERSON OF GOOD STANDING; AND IN MY OPINION HER SAID DECLARATION IS ENTITLED TO FULL CONFIDENCE AND RESPECT; AND THAT, IN CONSEQUENCE OF EXTREME OLD AGE AND INFIRMITY, IS UNABLE TO GO TO THE COURT HOUSE OF THE COUNTY TO MAKE SAID DECLARATION

OPEN COURT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HERETO SET MY HAND, THIS
13TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL WEBB, J. P.

VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, TO-WIT:

I, HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK OF WAYNE COUNTY COURT, DO HEREBY
CERTIFY THAT A COURT OF LAW HELD AT THE COURT HOUSE IN THE SAID
COUNTY ON TUESDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846. THIS DECLARA-
TION OF SUSAN FRAZEUR, A RESIDENT OF SAID WAYNE COUNTY MADE ON THE
13TH INSTANT BEFORE SAMUEL WEBB, A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE IN AND FOR
SAID COUNTY WAS PRODUCED IN OPEN COURT AND APPROVED BY THE COURT.
AND IT APPEARING TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE COURT THAT THE SAID ~~SUSAN~~
FRAZEUR IS THE IDENTICAL PERSON MAKING THE DECLARATION, THAT SHE IS A
PERSON OF GOOD Demeanor AND IN THE OPINION OF THE COURT A COMPETENT
WITNESS, ALL OF WHICH WAS ORDERED TO BE CERTIFIED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
WAR.

AND I, HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK AS AFORESAID, DO HEREBY FUR-
THER CERTIFY THAT SAMUEL WEBB, BEFORE WHOM THE FOREGOING DECLARA-
TION WAS MADE WAS, AT THE TIME, AND STILL IS AN ACTING JUSTICE-OF-THE
PEACE IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY, DULY COMMISSIONED AND QUALIFIED, AND
THAT FULL FAITH AND CONFIDENCE ARE DUE TO ALL HIS OFFICIAL ACTS AS
SUCH, AND THAT THE FOREGOING SIGNATURES PURPORTING TO BE HIS, ARE
GENUINE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND AF-
FIXED MY SEAL OF OFFICE AT WAYNE COURT HOUSE THIS 13TH DAY OF
OCTOBER, 1846.

(SIGNED) HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK OF WAYNE C.C.

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STATE OF VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, SS.

I, HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE AFORESAID, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT AT A COURT OF LAW HOLDEN AT THE COURT HOUSE IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY ON TUESDAY THE 13TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846, THAT EVIDENCE SATISFACTORY TO THE COURT WAS EXHIBITED TO SAID COURT THAT MICAGER FRAZEUR WAS A PENSIONER OF THE UNITED STATES AT THE RATE OF SIXTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM, WAS A RESIDENT OF THE COUNTY OF LAWRENCE AND STATE OF KENTUCKY, AND DIED IN SAID LAWRENCE COUNTY ON THE 9TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1843; THAT HE LEFT A WIDOW WHOSE NAME IS SUSAN FRAZEUR. AND I, HUGHA BOWEN, AS CLERK AFORESAID DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT SAMUEL WEBB, BEFORE WHOM THE FOREGOING AFFIDAVIT AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF POWER OF ATTORNEY WERE MADE WAS, AT THE TIME, AND STILL IS AN ACTING JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY, DULY COMMISSIONED AND QUALIFIED AS SUCH, AND THAT THE FOREGOING SIGNATURES, PURPORTING TO BE HIS, ARE GENUINE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO (THE INTERLINEATIONS FIRST BEING MADE) SET MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL OF MY OFFICE AT WAYNE COURT HOUSE THIS 15TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846.

(SIGNED) HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK OF WAYNE
COUNTY COURT.

I CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE COPY FROM THE VOUCHER ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE.

(SIGNED) TREASURY DEPARTMENT, THIRD AUDITOR'S
OFFICE, NOVEMBER 18, 1846. PETER
HAGNER, AUDITOR.

VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, SS.

THE DEPOSITION OF JOHN WELLMAN, A RESPECTABLE CITIZEN OF THE AFORESAID COUNTY, TAKEN THIS THE 14TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846, BEFORE ME SAMUEL WEBB, THE SUBSCRIBER, A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR

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SAID COUNTY, WHO BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, ACCORDING TO LAW, DOTH ON HIS OATH, STATE THAT HE IS SIXTY-SEVEN YEARS OLD; THAT IN THE YEAR 1797, OR THEREABOUT MICAGAR FRAZEUR REMOVED INTO THE COUNTY OF RUSSELL AND SETTLED NEAR TO THIS DECLARANT'S FATHER'S; AND FROM THAT TIME TO THE PRESENT THIS DEPONENT HAS ALWAYS RESIDED WITHIN THREE MILES OF SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF SOME FEW YEARS WHEN SAID MICAGER LIVED IN MISSOURI. AND THIS DEPONENT WOULD FURTHER SAY THAT WHEN HE FIRST BECAME ACQUAINTED WITH SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN, THEY THE SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN HAD TWO-IF NOT THREE-CHILDREN MARRIED, AND THREE, IF NOT MORE OF THE CHILDREN OF THE SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN WERE OLDER THAN THIS DEPONENT WHEN HE FIRST KNEW THEM. AND THIS DEPONENT BELIEVES THAT SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN MUST HAVE LIVED TOGETHER AS MAN AND WIFE MORE THAN SEVENTY YEARS AGO; THAT SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN ALWAYS LIVED TOGETHER FROM THE TIME THIS DEPONENT FIRST KNEW THEM TO THE DAY OF THE DEATH OF THE SAID MICAGER, WHICH TOOK PLACE IN THE COUNTY OF LAWRENCE, IN KENTUCKY, AND WITHIN THREE MILES OF THIS DEPONENT'S PRESENT RESIDENCE AS MAN AND WIFE, WERE EVER REGARDED AS SUCH; AND THIS DEPONENT NEVER HEARD IT DENIED NOR CONTRADICTED. AND THIS DEPONENT WOULD FURTHER SAY THAT A GRANDSON OF SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN DIED AS A SOLDIER AT NORFOLK IN THE WAR OF 1812. FROM THE FORE GOING CIRCUMSTANCES, AND OTHERS, THIS DEPONENT IS CONFIDENT THAT THE SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN MUST HAVE LIVED TOGETHER AS MAN AND WIFE AT LEAST SEVENTY YEARS AGO; AND THAT SINCE THE DEATH OF THE SAID MICAGER THE SAID SUSAN HAS REMAINED A WIDOW, AND FURTHER SAYETH NOT.

(SIGNED) JOHN WELLMAN.

IN PRESENCE OF ASA LYON .

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED, THE INTERLINEATIONS BEING FIRST MADE,

ON THE DAY AND YEAR FIRST BEFORE WRITTEN.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL WEBB, J. P.

VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, TO-WIT:

I, SAMUEL WEBB, A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR THE SAID COUNTY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH JOHN WELLMAN, THE FOREGOING DEPONENT; THAT HE IS A MAN OF GOOD STANDING AND AN ACTING MAGISTRATE OF THE COUNTY; AND THAT HIS DEPOSITION IS ENTITLED TO FULL CONFIDENCE AND BELIEF. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND THIS 14TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL WEBB, J. P.

STATE OF VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF WAYNE, SS.

THE DEPOSITION OF JOHN THOMPSON, A RESPECTABLE CITIZEN OF THE FOREGOING COUNTY, TAKEN THIS THE 14TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846, BEFORE ME, SAMUEL WEBB, A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR THE SAID COUNTY WHO, BEING FIRST DULY SWORN ACCORDING TO LAW, DOETH ON HIS OATH STATE THAT HE IS SEVENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE; THAT HE WAS PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH MICAGER FRAZEUR, LATE OF LAWRENCE COUNTY, KENTUCKY, AND WHO WAS A REVOLUTIONARY PENSIONER OF THE UNITED STATES, AND WITH SUSAN FRAZEUR, THE WIFE, AND NOW THE WIDOW OF SAID MICAGER; THAT FROM THIS DEPONENT'S EARLIEST RECOLLECTION HE KNEW SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN; THAT NANCY, THE OLDEST CHILD OF SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN WAS NEAR THIS DEPONENT'S AGE, AND NOT MORE THAN ONE YEAR'S DIFFERENCE IN THE AGE OF SAID NANCY AND THIS DEPONENT; AND THIS DEPONENT WOULD FURTHER SAY THAT THAT FROM THE AGES OF THE ELDEST CHILDREN OF THE SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN, MUST HAVE BEEN MARRIED OR LIVED TOGETHER AS MAN AND WIFE MORE THAN SEVENTY YEARS SINCE. AND THIS DEPONENT WOULD FURTHER SAY THAT FOR ABOUT FIFTY YEARS LAST, PAST, THAT HE HAS GENERALLY LIVED

NEAR TO SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF SOME FEW YEARS WHEN THE SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN LIVED IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI. AND THIS DEPONENT WOULD FURTHER SAY THAT A GRANDCHILD OF SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN AND THE SECOND CHILD OF THE AFORE-~~SAID~~ NANCY DIED AT NORFOLK AS A SOLDIER OF THE WAR OF 1812; THAT, FROM THE ABOVE CIRCUMSTANCES, AND OTHERS, THIS DEPONENT IS CONFIDENT THAT THE SAID MICAGER AND THE SAID SUSAN MUST HAVE LIVED AS BEFORE STATED MORE THAN SEVENTY YEARS AGO AS MAN AND WIFE. AND HE WOULD FURTHER SAY THAT FROM HIS FIRST ACQUAINTANCE WITH WITH THE AFORESAID MICAGER AND SUSAN THEY, THE SAID MICAGER AND SUSAN ALWAYS LIVED TOGETHER AS MAN AND WIFE AND WERE EVER REGARDED AS SUCH UNTIL THE DEATH OF THE SAID MICAGER, WHICH TOOK PLACE IN LAWRENCE COUNTY, KENTUCKY A FEW YEARS SINCE, AND ABOUT FOUR MILES FROM THE PRESENT RESIDENCE OF THIS DEPONENT; AND THAT EVER SINCE THE DEATH OF THE SAID MICAGER AND THE SAID SUSAN HAS REMAINED A WIDOW.

(SIGNED) ^{HIS} JOHN~~X~~THOMPSON.
MARK.

IN PRESENCE OF ASA LYON.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED, THE INTERLINEATIONS OF "WAS" AND SUSAN" AND THE ERASURES MADE BEFORE SIGNING, ON THIS, THE DAY AND YEAR FIRST BEFORE WRITTEN, BEFORE ME.

(SIGNED) SAM EL WEBB, J.P.

STATE OF VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, SS.

I, SAMUEL WEBB, A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH JOHN THOMPSON, THE FOREGOING DEPONENT, THAT HE IS A PERSON IN GOOD STANDING AND OF GOOD Demeanor, THAT HIS TESTIMONY WOULD BE HERE TAKEN IN ANY COURT, AND THAT FULL FAITH IS DUE TO HIS, THE FOREGOING DEPOSITION.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND THIS 14TH
DAY OF OCTOBER, 1846.

(SIGNED) SAM EL WEBB, J. PEACE.

STATE OF VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF WAYNE, SS.

I, HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE
COUNTY DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT SAMUEL WEBB, BEFORE WHOM THE FORE-
GOING AFFIDAVITS WERE MADE, WAS AT THE TIME-AND STILL IS-AN ACTING
JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR SAID COUNTY, DULY COMMISSIONED AND
QUALIFIED AS SUCH, AND THAT THE FOREGOING SIGNATURES PURPORTING TO BE
HIS ARE GENUINE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND AFFIXED
MY SEAL OF OFFICE AT WAYNE COURT HOUSE THIS 15TH DAY OF OCTOBER,
1846.

(SIGNED) HUGHA BOWEN, CLK W.C.C.

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VIRGINIA, AUGUSTA COUNTY, TO WIT:

I, JEFFERSON KINNER, CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT AFORESAID,
DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE CAREFULLY EXAMINED THE RECORDS OF MY
OFFICE FOR THE MARRIAGE OF MICAHAH FRASIER AND SUSAN HAMILTON AND
CAN FIND NO RECORD OF SUCH MARRIAGE. I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THERE WAS
NO RECORD OF MARRIAGES KEPT IN THIS COUNTY PRIOR TO THE YEAR 1785,
AND THAT WE HAVE NO MEANS, WHATSOEVER, OF ASCERTAINING MARRIAGES CELE-
BRATED BEFORE THAT PERIOD.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME
AND AFFIXED MY SEAL OF OFFICE AT STAUNTON THIS 31ST DAY OF OCTOBER,
1846.

(SIGNED) JEFFERSON KINNER, CLK.

By JACOB K. STRIBLING D.C.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT, THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE, NOVEMBER 18, 1846.

SIR:

I COMPLY WITH THE REQUEST CONTAINED IN YOUR LETTER OF THE 16TH INSTANT BY ENCLOSING HERewith A COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF COURT ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE, IN THE CASE OF MICAGER FRAZEUR, DECEASED, LATE A PENSIONER OF THE KENTUCKY AGENCY, SHOWING THE PERIOD OF HIS DEATH.

(SIGNED) VERY RESPECTFULLY YOUR OBT. SERVt.
PETER HAGNER, AUDITOR.

EDMUND F. BROWN, ESQ.,
WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.

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EDMUND F. BROWN, ATTORNEY AND AGENT, ETC.
U.S. AGENCY, NOTARIAL AND COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON CITY, 19TH NOVr., 1846.

I. L. EDWARDS, ESQ.,
COMMR. OF PENSIONS.

SIR:

HERewith I ENCLOSE THE CLAIM OF SUSAN FRAZEUR, OF WAYNE COUNTY, VIRGINIA, WIDOW OF MICAGER, WHO CLAIMS A PENSION UNDER ACT OF 1843 AND 1844, AND WHOSE PAPERS WILL I TRUST, BE FOUND SATISFACTORY.

VERY RESPECTFULLY Yr. OBT. St.,

(SIGNED) EDM. P. BROWN.

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STATE OF VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, SS:

ON THIS 12TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1848, PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE ME SAMUEL WEBB, A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR THE COUNTY

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AFORESAID, SUSAN FRAZEUR, AGED 95 YEARS WHO BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, /
ACCORDING TO LAW, DOTH ON HER OATH MAKE THE FOLLOWING DECLARATION
IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE BENEFITS OF THE PROVISION MADE BY THE ACT OF
CONGRESS PASSED O N THE 2ND DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1848 GRANTING PENSIONS
TO WIDOWS OF PERSONS WHO SERVED DURING THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, THAT
SHE IS THE WIDOW OF MICAGER FRAZEUR, WHO WAS A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER
AND A PENSIONER OF THE UNITED STATES; AND THAT AS HIS WIDOW SHE HAS
DRAWN A PENSION UNDER THE SEVERAL ACTS OF CONGRESS AT THE RATE OF
SIXTY DOLLARS PER ANNUM.

SHE FURTHER DECLARES THAT SHE IS STILL A WIDOW.

HER
SUSAN X FRAZEUR
MARK.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO ON THE DAY AND YEAR ABOVE WRITTEN, BEFORE
ME.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL WEBB, J. PEACE.

I FURTHER~~MORE~~ CERTIFY THAT MRS. SUSAN FRAZEUR ABOVE NAMED, WHO
IS PERSONALLY KNOWN TO ME AND THAT SHE IS THE IDENTICAL INDIVIDUAL
WHO DREW A PENSION, AS STATED BE HER IN HER ABOVE DECLARATION.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 12TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1848.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL WEBB, J. PEACE

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STATE OF VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, SS:

I, HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK OF THE COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, DO
CERTIFY THAT SAMUEL WEBB IS A MAGISTRATE, AS ABOVE, AND THAT
THE FOREGOING SIGNATURES ~~PURPORTING TO BE HIS, ARE GENUINE.~~

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO AFFIXED MY SEAL OF OF-
FICE AND SUBSCRIBED MY NAME, THIS 12TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1848.

(SIGNED) HUGHA BOWEN, CLERK OF THE COURT OF
WAYNE COUNTY.

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RICHMOND, VA., SEPT. 28, 1848.

SIR:

ENCLOSED IS THE DECLARATION OF MRS. SUSAN FRAZEUR, WIDOW
OF MICAGER FRAZEUR, FOR A CONTINUATION OF PENSION UNDER ACT OF
2ND FEBRUARY, 1848.

VERY RESPECTFULLY
YR OBT. SVT.,
(SIGNED) SUTTON & SOUTHALL.

I. L. EDWARDS, ESQ.,
COMM. OF PENSIONS,
WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.

RICHMOND, VA.

SEP. 29.

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I. L. EDWARDS, ESQ.,
COMMR. OF PENSIONS,
WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.

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HISTORY
OF THE
FRASHER FAMILY.

BY
ELDER D. K. FRASHER.

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INTRODUCTION

THIS PAMPHLET WAS WRITTEN BY E.DER D. K. FRASHER IN THE FACTS WHICH HE HAD COLLECTED THROUGH MANY YEARS AND HAVING BEEN THOROUGHLY ACQUAINTED WITH THE FOREFATHERS OF THE FRASHER GENERATION AND ALL THEIR RELATION, AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE YOUNGER MEMBERS OF THIS FAMILY. THE WRITER, WHO IS ENTERING INTO EIGHTY WROTE THIS BRIEF HISTORY.

HISTORY OF THE FRASHER FAMILY.

BY ELDER D. K. FRASHER.

CHAPTER I.

BEGINNING WITH McCAGER FRASHER AND FAMILY, WHO CAME FROM BOTTONTOT, VIRGINIA, TO THE WATERS OF SANDY RIVER AND SETTLED IN LOUISA, KENTUCKY, IN THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA IN THE YEAR, OR NEAR 1800. McCAGER FRASHER WAS BORN IN THE YEAR 1736 AND DIED IN 1843, BEING 107 YEARS OF AGE. HE MARRIED SUKA HAMILTON, WHO WAS BORN IN 1740 AND DIED IN 1852, BEING 112 YEARS OF AGE.

THERE WERE BORN UNTO McCAGER AND HIS WIFE TWELVE CHILDREN, SIX BOYS AND SIX GIRLS, VIZ: LEWIS, WILLIAM, HASTON, JOHN, McCAGER, GEORGE; NANCY, SARAH, POLLY, STACY, BETTY AND VINA. LEWIS, THE ELDEST SON, MARRIED ELIZABETH GRIFFE RATCLIFFE, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SEVEN CHILDREN, THE BOYS, VIZ: JOHN, JESSE, ELI, McCAGER. JOHN, THE ELDEST, WAS MARRIED TO MARY WELLMAN, THE DAUGHTER OF JOHN AND NANCY WELLMAN. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SEVEN BOYS AND FOUR GIRLS: ELIZABETH, NANCY. SARAH, AND MANDY; SONS, LEWIS, ELISHA, NATHAN, SAMUEL, ZATTOQ RUNNELLS, WILLIAM AND JOHN. I DON' KNOW WHO THE OTHER THREE MARRIED. I DON'T KNOW BUT CAPTAIN CB OR OLIVER FRAZER, OF RICH CREEK WAS A SON OF McCAGER FRAZIER. PEGGY FRAZIER MARRIED PETER HOOSIER, AND THE OTHER MARRIED SHELTON PARKS.

CHAPTER II. OFFSPRINGS OF WILLIAM FRAZIER.

WILLIAM FRASHER, THE GRANDFATHER OF THE WRITER, D.K.FRASHER, WAS MARRIED TO SARAH FRANCIS WEBB, WHO WAS A SISTER TO NANCY WEBB,

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WHO MARRIED JOHN WELLMAN, WHO WAS THE FATHER OF JAMES WELLMAN, ROBERT WELLMAN, DAVID WELLMAN, SAMUEL WELLMAN, JEREMIAH, ELISHA WELLMAN; DAUGHTERS, ELIZABETH, MARY, KIZZA, RAINA, WELLMAN.

THE CHILDREN OF WILLIAM FRASHER AND HIS WIFE, WHO WAS NICK-NAMED DOLLY, WERE AS FOLLOWS. SEVEN SONS, SAMUEL, CREED, JOHN, MARTIN, BURON, WILLIAM, CUSHINGTON; AND FOUR GIRLS: JANE, MINERVA, CAROLINE AND NANCY. SAMUEL FRASHER, THE FATHER OF THE WRITER, WAS BORN THE SECOND DAY OF DECEMBER, 1812, MARRIED TO PERLINA BARTRAM IN 1833, AND DIED IN 1892. PERALINA ALAFAIR, HIS WIFE, WAS BORN IN 1818, DIED MAY 20, 1853, BEING THE MOTHER OF FIVE CHILDREN, VIZ: MINERVA, JOHN, WILLIAM, D.K. AND JAMES FRASHER. MINERVA WAS BORN IN 1834 AND WAS MARRIED TO ELIJAH MAYNARD IN 1855. ELIJAH, HER HUSBAND, WAS BORN IN 1829 AND DIED NOVEMBER 1896. THEY WERE THE MOTHER AND FATHER OF ELEVEN CHILDREN, VIZ: WILLIAM, DOLLY, FRANCES, CHARLES TENNESSEE, PERLINA, SAMUEL, LARKIN, LUCY HAMPTON, JENNIE, AND SARAH.

WILLIAM, THE ELDEST, WAS BORN IN 1856 AND WAS MARRIED TWICE. HIS ~~XX~~ FIRST WIFE WAS UNE MARCUM, THE DAUGHTER OF STEPHEN MARCUM. SHE WAS THE MOTHER OF ONE SON WHOSE NAME WAS THOMAS. HIS SECOND WIFE WAS THE DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM CASSADY, AND THERE WAS BORN UNTO THEM ONE SON, AND THEY CALLED HIM WALTER.

CHARLES, TENNESSEE, AND FRANCES DIED WHILE QUITE YOUNG. PERLINA MARRIED LINZA MAYNARD, THE SON OF CHARLES MAYNARD. SHE WAS BORN 1860.

SAMUEL MAYNARD WAS BORN IN 1862 AND MARRIED SARAH ANN BARTRAM, THE DAUGHTER OF CAPT. W. H. BARTRAM AND MINERVA RATCLIFFE. HIS WIFE BORE FOUR CHILDREN: BESSIE, LIZZIE, JANE, DOLLY, HAMPTON.

LARKIN M. MARRIED EMILINE FRASHER, AND TO THEM WERE BORN SIX CHILDREN: GEORGE, HENRY, TAYLOR, LUCY, PERLINA,

LUCY MARRIED GEORGE McREYNOLDS. SHE WAS BORN IN 1868. THEY

WERE THE MOTHER AND FATHER OF THREE CHILDREN, ALL BOYS, VIZ:
LARKIN, CHARLES AND ELIJAH. LARKIN MARRIED FLORA BROWN; CHARLEY
MARRIED NOLA GRAHAM, AND ELIJAH MARRIED ELISABETH HAMMONDS, THE
DAUGHTER OF JOHN HAMMONDS.

HAMILTON MAYNARD WAS BORN AUGUST 9, 1870, AND MARRIED ELISABETH
SAMMONS, THE DAUGHTER OF OLIVER SAMMONS, AND THERE WAS BORN UNTO THEM
SEVEN CHILDREN, VIZ: RUSSELL, SAMUEL, FRANCIS, WILLIAM, ALVAS,
ANNE, LUCY, AND PERLINA. FRANCIS MARRIED JOHN HAMMONDS, THE SON OF
JOHN HAMMONDS, THE BROTHER-IN-LAW TO ELIJAH McREYNOLDS. JENNIE MAYNARD
MARRIED ROSCOE RATCLIFFE, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM ^{TWO} ~~XXXXXX~~ CHILDREN
WILLIAM DAVID AND MINERVA. SHE MARRIED CARMAN PETERS, THE SON OF
CHARLES B. PETERS. WILLIAM MARRIED THE DAUGHTER OF CHARLES B. PETERS
AND DIED, LEAVING HIS WIFE AND TWO CHILDREN.

CHAPTER III. THE OFFSPRINGS OF WILLIAM FRASHER.

WILLIAM D. FRASHER WAS BORN JANUARY, 1838, AND MARRIED FALLY O.
RATCLIFFE, THE DAUGHTER OF SQUIRE RATCLIFFE, WHO WAS A REPRESENTA-
TIVE IN THE LEGISLATURE IN 1861. FALLY, THE WIFE OF WILLIAM D. FRASHER
WAS BORN APRIL, 1840, AND SHE WAS THE MOTHER OF NINE CHILDREN, VIZ:
MANERVA, SARAH ANN, JAMES, WILLIAM, NOLLY, JENNIE, UNE, RACHEL,
LOU AND ELISABETH. MANERVA MARRIED ANDREW BRANHAM, AND UNTO THEM
WERE BORN TEN CHILDREN, VIZ: ELMER, JAMES, FRANK, ARTHUR, WILLIAM, DREW,
SAM DOCK, ROSCOE; GIRLS: MARY MARRIED MART FRASHER, FANNY MARRIED ELDER
SAMUEL MAYNARD; TENNIE MARRIED FRANK YORK.

JAMES FRASHER MARRIED JENNIE MAYNARD. FIVE CHILDREN WERE BORN
TO THEM, TWO BOYS AND THREE GIRLS, VIZ: EDWARD AND WALTER, ALICE,
STELLA AND GUSSIE.

SARAH ANN WAS MARRIED TO JOHN WALLACE AND ONE CHILD WAS BORN UNTO

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WILLIAM FRASHER WAS BORN IN THE YEAR OF 1866 AND WAS MARRIED TO MARY JANE MARCUM, THE DAUGHTER OF STEPHEN AND NANCY MARCUM.

ELISABETH WAS BORN IN THE YEAR OF 1868 AND WAS MARRIED TO MARVEL TELKINS. LOU WAS MARRIED TO ROSCOE MAYNARD, A SON OF LEWIS MAYNARD, AND JENNIE UNE MARRIED GARRETT RATCLIFFE, THE SON OF ALBERT RATCLIFFE.

- CHAPTER FOUR -

D. K. FRASHER WAS BORN FEBRUARY 22, 1840, AND WAS MARRIED TO ELISABETH NAPIER ON APRIL 4, 1867. UNTO THEM WERE BORN FOUR DAUGHTERS, SUSAN, PERLINA A., UNE AND MINERVA. ELISABETH NAPIER WAS BORN FEBRUARY 10, 1852. SUSAN WAS BORN MARCH 27, 1868 AND ~~XX~~ WAS AND WAS MARRIED TO SHADE NAPIER IN 1884; AND SHADE NAPIER WAS BORN FEB. 1, 1865. PERLINA A. FRASHER WAS BORN MARCH 6, 1870 AND WAS MARRIED TO EZEKIAL FLUTY IN 1884, AND DIED IN 1885. THE CHILDREN OF SHADE AND SUSAN, HIS WIFE, ARE AS FOLLOWS: UNE, THE ELDEST, WAS BORN IN 1886; DELLA BORN 1887 AND MARRIED WALTER GRAY KIDD. DAVID FRASHER NAPIER BORN IN 1890 AND WAS MARRIED TO HANNAH ADKINS. THEY HAVE TWO CHILDREN, ANNA MAY AND DAVID HAROLD. JENNIE NAPIER WAS BORN 1892 AND MARRIED JOSEPH KIDD. MARY NAPIER WAS BORN IN 1895 AND WAS MARRIED TO ONEY FRY. ADRIAN NAPIER WAS BORN 1908. HOWARD NAPIER WAS BORN 1913.

- CHAPTER V -

JAMES FRASHER WAS BORN OCTOBER 10, 1842, AND DIED IN JULY 1920. HE WAS FIRST MARRIED TO MARTHA BRANHAM, AND TO THEM WERE BORN FOUR CHILDREN: DAVID OLIVER, SAMUEL, TENNA, AND JENNIE. DAVID OLIVER WAS BORN JANUARY 1868 AND MARRIED LOU ELLA RATCLIFFE, THE DAUGHTER OF ALBERT AND DICY RATCLIFFE, HIS WIFE.

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THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM TWO BOYS AND THREE GIRLS, VIZ: ANNA RUTH, LEETHY, REBA, AND JESSE, WILLIAM G., SAMUEL.

CHILDREN BORN TO JAMES FRASHER AND WIFE, AS FOLLOW: TENNIE WAS BORN IN 1870 AND MARRIED SAMUEL LOVINGS, AND THERE WAS BORN UNTO THEM FOUR CHILDREN, AND SHE DIED, VIZ: GUSSIE, ELISABETH, ~~xx~~ JAMES AND BRISA. SAMUEL FRASHER WAS MARRIED TO MANERVA FITZPATRICK, THE DAUGHTER OF ULYSSES AND ELIZABETH, HIS WIFE, AND FOUR CHILDREN, VIZ: MARY, LUCY, ISAAC AND CHARLES. JENNIE DIED WHEN SHE WAS 12 YEARS OF AGE.

TO JAMES AND ARSULA, HIS SECOND WIFE, THERE WERE BORN THREE CHILDREN, VIZ: JAMES A. GARFIELD, ETTA AND VICTORY. JAMES A. GARFIELD WAS BORN 1882. VICTORY WAS BORN 1884, AND MARRIED DANIEL MAYNARD, A SON OF LEWIS MAYNARD. ETTA WAS BORN IN 1886, AND MARRIED WILLIAM RATCLIFFE, THE SON OF ALBERT RATCLIFFE.

- CHAPTER VI -

THE OFFSPRINGS OF SAMUEL FRASHER, SR. BY SECOND WIFE.

SAMUEL FRASHER, SR. WAS MARRIED THE SECOND TIME TO CHRISTINE NAPIER, THE DAUGHTER OF MOSES AND VICY NAPIER. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM FIVE CHILDREN, FOUR BOYS AND ONE GIRL. DOCTOR S.Z. FRASHER WAS BORN IN MARCH, 1857 AND WAS MARRIED TO FANNIE E. BARTRAM IN 1883. HIS WIFE WAS THE DAUGHTER OF CAPTAIN BARTRAM AND MANERVA, HIS WIFE. SIX BOYS AND TWO GIRLS WERE BORN UNTO THEM, VIZ: NADA, CHESTER, RUSH, FANNY, S.Z. FRAZIER MONT, WILLIAM AND LABAN FRAZIER.

JOHN A. FRAZIER WAS THE SECOND SON OF SAMUEL AND CHRISTINA, HIS WIFE. HE WAS BORN IN 1861, AND WAS MARRIED TO DELPHA HAMMONDS, THE DAUGHTER OF JOHN HAMMONDS AND DELPHIA HAMMONDS, HIS

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WIFE. THEY HAD ONE DAUGHTER, MAXIE TAYLOR FRAZIER.

MONT FRASHER, THE SECOND SON OF SAMUEL FRASHER BY HIS SECOND WIFE, WAS MARRIED TO EFFIE DOBBINS, AND TO THEM WERE BORN TWO CHILDREN, SAMUEL AND PROCTOR. AFTER EFFIE DIED, HE MARRIED MARY FANNIN, THE DAUGHTER OF MICHAEL FANNIE. UNTO THEM WERE BORN TEN CHILDREN, VIZ: ROSA, JOHN, FRANK, NELLA, RUBY, CLIFFORD, DIXIE, OPAL, MARY, AND NORMA.

FRANK FRASHER WAS THE LAST SON OF SAMUEL FRASHER, AND HE MARRIED OLLIE FITZPATRICK, THE DAUGHTER OF STROTHER FITZPATRICK, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM TWO GIRLS--HAZEL AND DOLLY.

ROSE BELLE FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1877 SHE WAS MARRIED TO SOLOMON HALL, AND THERE WERE BORN TO THEM SIX CHILDREN: GOLDA, SAMUEL, TINA, HOOVER, MONT. AND JOHN. MONT DIED IN THE YEAR OF 1922.

- CHAPTER VII -

THE OFFSPRINGS OF JOHN FRASHER, SON OF WILLIAM FRASHER, SR.

JOHN FRASHER, A SON OF WILLIAM FRASHER, WAS BORN 1815. HE MARRIED SARAH WELLMAN THE DAUGHTER OF JAMES WELLMAN, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SEVEN CHILDREN, VIZ: CAROLINA FRASHER WAS BORN 1843 AND MARRIED A THOMPSON. CORNELIUS WAS BORN 1845 AND MARRIED SARAH WELLMAN, THE DAUGHTER OF ROBERT WELLMAN. PERMELIA MARRIED BURL AKERS, A BAPTIST MINISTER. LOU MARRIED A THOMPSON; NANCY MARRIED A CRABTREE. JAMES MARRIED A DAUGHTER OF JAMES FERGUSON. BELL IS NOT MARRIED.

-CHAPTER VIII-

THE OFFSPRINGS OF MARTIN FRASHER, SON OF WILLIAM, SR.

MARTIN FRASHER WAS BORN 1819, AND MARRIED STACY, THE DAUGHTER OF SAMUEL AND POLLY WEBB. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM THE FOLLOWING

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CHILDREN: JANE, BORN 1843 MARRIED GILSON BLANTON AND TO THEM WAS BORN ONE CHILD, AND THEY CALLED ITS NAME "CORA SAMUEL". THE NEXT SON OF MARTIN WAS BORN 1845, AND HE MARRIED MARTHA, THE DAUGHTER OF REUBEN ADKINS. CHARITY, THE NEXT, MARRIED SAMUEL RATCLIFFE. STROTHER MARRIED A WELLS. THEODORE MARRIED A DAUGHTER OF MARCUS HODGE. ALSO BILLE AND FRANCES.

- CHAPTER IX -

BUREN FRASHER WAS BORN 1852 AND MARRIED ELISABETH SULLIVAN. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM FOUR CHILDREN, VIZ: MARY, JAMES, IDA, AND BELLE.

- CHAPTER X -

THE OFFSPRING OF WILLIAM FRASHER, SON OF WILLIAM.

WILLIAM FRASHER, JR. WAS BORN 1830 AND MARRIED MARGARET NAPIER, DAUGHTER OF MOSES AND VICY NAPIER. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SEVEN CHILDREN VIZ: CUSGINGTON YOUNGA, WILLIAM, JOHN, AND MOSES, NANCY AND LAURA. CUSHINGTON MARRIED ELLEN NOE, THE DAUGHTER OF SAMUEL AND NANCY MOE; YOUNGA MARRIED IRMA ADKINS, THE DAUGHTER OF MANY ADKINS; WILLIAM FRAZIER MARRIED ELLA ADKINS, THE DAUGHTER OF TILLMAN ADKINS; JOHN FRAZIER MARRIED SUSAN NAPIER, THE DAUGHTER OF THOMAS AND THURZA; LAURA MARRIED JACOB ADKINS; NANCY MARRIED HENRY MAYNARD.

- CHAPTER XI -

CUSHINGTON ZATTOO FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1833, AND WAS MARRIED TO ELIZABETH ADKINS NAPIER, THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM FIVE CHILDREN: WAYNE, EMELINE, MARTIN, TAYLOR AND NARY. WAYNE, THE ELDEST WAS BORN IN 1867 AND WAS MARRIED TO CORDELIA HARGIS. MARTIN FRAZIER WAS BORN 1871 AND WAS MARRIED TO MARY BRANHAM, THE DAUGHTER OF ANDREW BRANHAM, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN WILLIAM, NELLIE, EMELINE

FLORENCE, LINZY, DREW, FLOYD, HENRY AND MART.

TAYLOR FRAZIER WAS BORN IN 1874, AND WAS MARRIED TO FLORENCE DERIFIELD, DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM CAM DERIFIELD. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SEVEN CHILDREN, VIZ: MILLARD, ROY AND BRISY, WILLIAM CAM, WAYNE, D.K. AND BESSIE. NARY FRAZIER WAS BORN 1876, NOT MARRIED. EMELINE WAS BORN 1873, AND WAS MARRIED TWICE, HER LAST HUSBAND BEING LINZEY SAMMONS. BORN, ONE BOY, CLIFFORD.

- CHAPTER XII -

JOHN FRASHER, A DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM, SR. WAS BORN IN 1810, AND MARRIED JAMES BARTRAM IN 1833; AND HE WAS BORN IN 1813. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SEVEN CHILDREN, VIZ; THE ELDEST, WILLIAM HENRY, SARILDA, JAMES HARVEY, DAVID KELLY, SARAH FRANCIS, SAMUEL Z. JOHN ALLEN, AND LINZEY. WILLIAM HENRY WAS BORN IN 1834, AND WAS MARRIED TO MANERVA RATCLIFFE IN 1858. THERE WERE CHILDREN BORN UNTO THEM, AS FOLLOWS: JENNIE, WILLIAM DAVID, FANNIE ELLEN, SRAH ANN; THE NEXT THREE DIED WHEN YOUNG. SARAH FRANCES WAS BORN IN 1843, AND WAS MARRIED TO L.G. CHATFIELD TO THEM WERE BORN THREE CHILDREN--EARL, FRANCES AND GEORGIA. JOHN A. WAS BORN 1851, AND WAS MARRIED TO GEORGIA CYRUS. LINZEY BARTRAM WAS BORN 1855, AND WAS MARRIED TO CARRIE HATTEN, AND DIED IN 1919. TO THEM WERE BORN FOUR CHILDREN: GEORGE, OLLIE, MAY AND WILLIE.

- CHAPTER XIII -

MANERVA FRASHER WAS BORN 1822, AND WAS MARRIED TO ELISHA WELLMAN IN 1839. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM 12 CHILDREN, VIZ: NINE BOYS AND THREE GIRLS: WILLIAM, THE ELDEST, JOHN SAMUEL, JAMES HARVEY, JERRY, ROBERT, DAVID, BUREN, ELISHA, NANCY JANE, JOSEPHINE AND MALISSA.

WILLIAM WAS BORN IN 1840, AND WAS MARRIED TO A DAWSON IN 1836, AND UNTO THEM THILDREN WERE BORN. JOHN WAS BORN 1844 AND WAS MARRIED TO A CRABTREE. SAMUEL WAS BORN 1844, AND WAS MARRIED TO MANDY SLATER. JAMES HARVEY WAS BORN 1846, AND WAS MARRIED TO A ROBERTSON; THERE WERE CHILDREN BORN UNTO THEM. JERRY WAS BORN 1848, AND WAS MARRIED TO A CAMPBELL. NANCY JANE WAS BORN 1842, AND WAS MARRIED TO SAMUEL CRABTREE. JOSEPHINE WAS MARRIED TO A CAMPBELL. ELISHA WAS MARRIED TO A BURCHETT. I DO NOT KNOW THE AGES.

- CHAPTER XIV -

CAROLINE FRASHER WAS BORN 1827, AND WAS MARRIED TO B.F. MARTIN, NICK-NAMED "POMP". THERE WAS BORN UNTO THEM TWO BOYS AND FOUR GIRLS, VIZ: NANCY JANE, ELISABETH, BELLE, AND DOLLY, ELISHA AND CHARLEY. NANCY JANE WAS MARRIED TO CHARLEY FORTUNE; ELKSABETH WAS MARRIED TO IRVIN BONIAN; DOLLY WAS MARRIED TO WILLIAM SELLARD; ELISHA WAS BORN IN MAY, 1853, AND WAS MARRIED TO MANERVA HAMMONDS, THE DAUGHTER OF JOHN HAMMONDS, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN THREE BOYS: CHARLEY, WILLIAM AND SCOTT. CHARLEY, THE ELDEST, MARRIED ELISABETH SAMMONS, THE DAUGHTER OF JOSH SAMMONS, WILLIAM MARRIED SARAH DEARFIELD, THE DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM CAM DEARFIELD. SCOTT DIED IN 1922.

- CHAPTER XV -

NANCY FRASHER, THE DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM FRASHER, WAS BORN IN

1838, AND WAS MARRIED TO GEORGE RATCLIFFE IN 1859, OR 1860.

THERE WAS BORN UNTO THEM ONE DAUGHTER, NAMED JENNIE, WHO WAS MARRIED TO WILLIAM CAMPBELL; ALSO A SON.

- CHAPTER XVI -

HASTEN FRASHER, A SON OF MCCAGER, SR. WAS MARRIED TO BASHA BERRY, AND UNTO THEM NINE BOYS AND THREE GIRLS WERE BORN, VIZ: JOHN, THE ELDEST, WILLIAM, HARVEY, IRVIN, SAMUEL, HARMON, ANDREW, GRANVILLE, AND NATHAN. GIRLS: ELIZABETH, MARINDA, AND MINERVA. JOHN, THE ELDEST, WAS BORN IN 1819, AND WAS MARRIED TO JANE FARRIS; AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN TEN BOYS AND TWO GIRLS, OF WHOM I HAVE SEEN HARVEY, JANE AND COLLY. I DON'T KNOW HOW MANY MORE.

WILLIAM FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1821, AND WAS MARRIED TO MANDY WELLMAN, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN JAMES ALLEN, SAMUEL, WILLIAM, AND LA FAYETTE. SAMUEL FRASHER WAS THE FATHER OF FRED, WHO MARRIED WILDA PRICHARD.

ELIZABETH FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1822, AND WAS MARRIED TO MARCUS HODGE. IRVIN FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1824 AND WAS MARRIED TO A BERRY. HARVEY FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1826 AND WAS MARRIED TO MARY JANE NAPIER, THE DAUGHTER OF MOSES NAPIER, TO WHOM WERE BORN FIVE CHILDREN, VIZ: JIMERSON, ALBERT, MARTHA ELLEN, JENNIE AND NANCY JANE. MARTHA ELLEN WAS MARRIED TO NEHEMIA FINLEY AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SIX BOYS AND THREE GIRLS: ALBERT, HARVEY, GEORGE, LAURENCE, FRANK AND GOLDEN; MARY JANE, ORA, SARAH ELIZABETH. ALBERT MARRIED RACHEL QUEEN; HARVEY MARRIED BELLE JOHNS; GEORGE MARRIED A PINSON; ORA MARRIED TAYLOR DAMRON. I

DO NOT KNOW WHOM THE OTHERS MARRIED. JIMMERSON FRASHER MARRIED VICY NAPIER; ALBERT FRASHER MARRIED VICY ADKINS.

SAMUEL FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1828, AND WAS MARRIED TO A CRABTREE. HARMON WAS BORN IN 1830. MARINDA FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1832, AND MARRIED SOLOMON CRABTREE. MANERVA FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1834. ANDERVILLE FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1836; GRANVILLE FRASHER WAS BORN IN 1838; NATHAN WAS BORN IN 1840.

- CHAPTER XVI -

JOHN FRASHER, A SON OF MCCAGER, SR., WENT TO MISSOURI; I DON'T KNOW ANY MORE OF HIM, WHETHER HE OR MCCAGER WAS EITHER MARRIED, OR NOT.

- CHAPTER XVIII -

GEORGE FRASHER, ANOTHER SON OF MCCAGER WAS MARRIED TO CHARLOTTE WELLS, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN SIX SONS AND THREE DAUGHTERS: GRANVILLE, JOHN, JAMES CALVIN, GENERAL, GEORGE, AND ANDY. GIRLS: SARAH, SUSAN AND LOU. I DO NOT KNOW THEIR AGES, NOR WHOM THEY ALL MARRIED. JAMES CALVIN WAS MARRIED TWICE: HIS FIRST WIFE WAS A THOMPSON, STEPHEN'S DAUGHTER. ONE SON WAS BORN UNTO THEM WHOSE NAME WAS TAYLOR. HIS SECOND WIFE WAS THE WIDOW MCQUIRE AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN TWO SONS: ALEX. AND FRED. SARAH MARRIED LEVI JARRELL. SUSAN MARRIED B. HATFIELD AND LOU MARRIED JOHNSON HATFIELD, AND GEORGE MARRIED A HATFIELD.

-CHAPTER XIX-

NANCY FRASHER WAS MARRIED TO WILLIAM ADAMS, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN TWO SONS, NATHAN AND JEFFERSON. JEFFERSON MARRIED ELISABETH LEWIS AND UNTO THEM WAS BORN A CHILD WHO WAS NAMED ELLI.

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-- CHAPTER XX --

SARAH FRASHER WAS MARRIED TO WILLIAM THOMPSON, AND UNTO THEM WERE CHILDREN BORN, VIZ: ALI, STEPHEN AND JOHN AND JANE. ALI THOMPSON MARRIED ELISABETH WEBB, AND UNTO THEM WERE CHILDREN BORN, VIZ: BOYS, WADE, OWEN, MARTIN AND JOHN. GIRLS, MARY, SARAH AND CHARITY.

STEPHEN THOMPSON MARRIED ELISABETH MARCUM. DO NOT KNOW WHOM JOHN MARRIED. HE LIVED ON JOHN'S CREEK.

-- CHAPTER XXI --

MARY FRASHER MARRIED SAMUEL WEBB AND UNTO THEM WERE CHILDREN BORN, VIZ: DAVID, JOHN, SAMUEL AND WILLIAM. ELISABETH, JANE, VINA, STACY, MANDA, MANERVA, AND SARAH FRANCIS. JANE MARRIED JESSE ROBISON, AND THERE WERE THREE SONS BORN UNTO THEM, VIZ: WARREN, ROLLAND AND JESSE. WARREN MARRIED THE DAUGHTER OF THE ONE CALLED "HONEST JOHN" FRASHER. ROLLAND WAS THE FATHER-IN-LAW OF ELDER JESSE FRY. I DON'T KNOW WHOM JESSE ROBINSON MARRIED.

- CHAPTER XXII -

SAMUEL WEBB, THE FATHER OF THEM WAS A BROTHER OF NANCY WEBB AND SARAH FRANCES, AND THEIR MOTHER WAS A SHORT, COUSINS OF SAMUEL AND THOMAS SHORT. ELISABETH DAMRON, THE WIFE OF LAZARUS DAMRON, WAS THEIR AUNT. SAMUEL'S WIFE, BEFORE MARRIAGE, WAS BRUDEN, AND HALF SISTER TO SAMUEL WEBB.

- CHAPTER XXIII -

STACY FRASHER, THE DAUGHTER OF MCCAGER, S R., WAS MARRIED TO DANIEL RATCLIFFE. THEY WERE THE FATHER AND MOTHER OF HARVEY RATCLIFFE. I DON'T KNOW WHETHER ANY MORE CHILDREN WERE BORN TO THEM, OR NOT. HARVEY MARRIED JANE WARRETT AND THEY HAD ONE CHILD, WILLIAM. I DO NOT KNOW OF ANY MORE.

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- CHAPTER XXIV -

VINA FRASHER, ANOTHER DAUGHTER OF McCAGER, SR. WAS MARRIED TO GEORGE MARTIN AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM FOUR CHILDREN, VIZ: WILLIAM, GEORGE, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, AND ELISABETH MARTIN. WILLIAM MARRIED EASTER SELLARDS; GEORGE MARRIED IN MISSOURI. I HAVE SEEN HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN, BUT I DO NOT KNOW HOW MANY THERE WERE, NOR THEIR NAMES. B. F. MARTIN MARRIED CAROLINE FRASHER, THE DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM FRASHER, SR. ELISABETH MARTIN MARRIED FRANK LOAR.

ELISABETH FRASHER, A DAUGHTER OF McCAGER, SR. WAS NEVER MARRIED, AS I EVER HEARD OF.

- CHAPTER XXV -

STEPHEN BARTRAM WAS MARRIED TO JANE PERRY, AND SHE WAS A SISTER OF NANCY PERRY THE WIFE OF WILLIAM SHANNON WHO WERE THE PARENTS OF THOMAS, JAMES AND JOHN. I HAVE NEVER HEARD HOW MANY MORE CHILDREN.

- CHAPTER XXVI -

THOMAS AND JAMES SHANNON CAME FROM TAZEWELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA TO BIG SANDY UP ON LEVISA FORK, ABOUT TEN OR TWELVE MILES ABOVE LOUISA. I NEVER HEARD HOW MANY CAME, BESIDES.

-CHAPTER XXVII-

"NOW, STEPHEN BARTRAM MUST HAVE COME TO BIG SANDY SOME TIME AFTER 1788; FOR MY GRANDFATHER, DAVID BARTRAM, TOLD ME OF KILLING BEAR WHEN HE WAS THIRTEEN, IN CLINCH MOUNTAIN IN TAZEWELL COUNTY, VIRGINIA, AND HE WAS BORN IN 1778. STEPHEN HAD THREE SONS, VIZ: JOHN, DAVID AND JAMES AND ALSO A DAUGHTER, AND SHE WAS MARRIED TO A MAN WHOSE SURNAME WAS BRÜSTER."

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- CHAPTER XXVIII -

JOHN, THE ELDEST WAS MARRIED AND HIS WIFE'S GIVEN NAME WAS MARY AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM FOUR BOYS AND A GIRL, VIZ: STEPHEN, WILLIAM, THOMAS, SOLOMON, AND JENNIE. HE HAD MORE CHILDREN BY HIS SECOND WIFE.

- CHAPTER XXIX -

STEPHEN, THE ELDEST WAS MARRIED TO CYNTHIA ADKINS, THE DAUGHTER OF JESSE AND NANCY ADKINS, A SISTER OF OWEN ADKINS, AND UNTO THEM SIX, OR SEVEN CHILDREN WERE BORN, VIZ: WED. OWEN, PLEAS, AND THREE GIRLS. WILLIAM WAS MARRIED TO SARILDA ADKINS. I DON'T KNOW WHOM THOMAS OR SOLOMON MARRIED.

- CHAPTER XXX -

JENNIE MARRIED ED. ADKINS, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN THREE SONS AND THREE DAUGHTERS: ATISON, HARVEY, CALVIN, NANCY, ELISABETH, AND MARGARET. ATISON MARRIED AN ASBURY; ALSO HARVEY MARRIED AN ASBERRY. DO NOT KNOW WHOM CALVIN MARRIED. NANCY MARRIED THOMAS STEPHENS. ELISABETH MARRIED A JOHNSON. MARGARET MARRIED SAMUEL PAGE. JENNIE, BY HER SECOND HUSBAND JAMES COLE, HAD THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN: JOHN, HAWK, GEORGE AND ELISHA. JOHN, THE ELDEST WAS MARRIED TO MARTHA FRY AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN TWO SONS, LA FAYETTE AND COLUMBUS COLE. LA FAYETTE MARRIED PATSY NAPIER. COLUMBUS MARRIED FANNIE JOHNSON. HAWK COLE MARRIED ELLA OSBURN. GEORGE COLE MARRIED ELISABETH FORTNER. I DO NOT KNOW WHETHER ELISHA MARRIED, OR NOT.

- CHAPTER XXXI -

DAVID BARTRAM, THE SECOND SON OF STEPHEN, WAS BORN IN ~~XXXX~~ 1778, OR 1789 AND MARRIED TO REBECCA BLUE IN 1812. SHE WAS THE DAUGHTER OF SAMUEL BLUE AND THE SISTER OF SARAH CYRUS, THE MOTHER OF

ABRAHAM CYRUS, JOSHUA ROSS AND JESSE CYRUS. HE DIED IN 1864. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM THREE BOYS AND ONE GIRL, VIZ: JAMES, WILLIAM AND JOHN, AND THE DAUGHTER PERLINA ALAFAIR.

- CHAPTER - XXXII -

JAMES, THE ELDEST, WAS BORN IN 1814 AND IN 1833 WAS MARRIED TO JANE FRASHER. HE DIED SOME TIME IN THE 80'S. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM EIGHT CHILDREN, VIZ: W. H. BARTRAM, SARILDA, JAMES, HARRISON, DAVID, RELLA, SARAH FRANCES, SAMUEL ZATTOO, JOHN ALLEN, AND LINZEY.

- CHAPTER XXXIII -

WILLIAM, THE SECOND SON OF DAVID WAS BORN IN 1816 AND WAS MARRIED ABOUT THE YEAR THE YEAR 1836 TO RAINA WELLMAN, THE DAUGHTER OF X JOHN AND NANCY, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM ELEVEN CHILDREN--BY THE FIRST WIFE, VIZ: DAVID, JOHN, JAMES, PERLINA, NANCY, SAMUEL, WILLIAM, ELISHA, ELISABETH, GEORGE, JEREMIAH; AND BY HIS SECOND WIFE, SUSAN BAKER WALKER, ONE GIRL, REBA, WHO MARRIED JOSEPH MARTIN YORK THE SON OF SENATOR JOHN Y. YORK.

- CHAPTER XXXIV -

DAVID, THE ELDEST, WAS BORN IN 1837, AND ~~XXXX~~ WAS MARRIED TO ELIZA RATCLIFFE ABOUT THE YEAR 1857, AND UNTO THEM WAS BORN FIVE BOYS AND A GIRL: DR. JOHN BELL, FRANK, WASHINGTON, WILLIAM, WAYNE, AND THE DAUGHTER'S NAME WAS LONA, IF I AM NOT MISTAKEN.

- CHAPTER XXXV -

JOHN, THE SECOND, WAS BORN IN 1839 AND WAS MARRIED TO MARY WELLMAN THE DAUGHTER OF LEWIS WELLMAN IN 1860. SHE WAS BORN I N

1840. UNTO THEM WERE BORN SIX CHILDREN: ULYSSES GRANT BORN IN 1865 AND WAS THE HUSBAND OF JENNIE BELLE COPLEY. BURNELL WAS BORN IN 1890 AND DIED IN 1922. WILLIAM, THE SON OF JOHN, WAS BORN IN 1869. DAVID BARTRAM WAS BORN IN 1890. JOHN, WHO WAS BORN IN 1892, HAD TWO DAUGHTERS. ONE OF THEM-ABAGAIL, WAS MARRIED. I DO NOT KNOW THE OTHER'S NAME.

--CHAPTER XXXVI--

JAMES, THE SON OF WILLIAM, SR. WAS BORN IN 1841 AND MARRIED ELISABETH POLLY IN 1856. THERE WERE FIVE CHILDREN BORN UNTO THEM. SAMUEL, WHO MARRIED WILLIAM DAVID'S DAUGHTER, A DAUGHTER WHO MARRIED A PREACHER WHOSE NAME IS WM. BRYANT. JAMES WAS ALSO MARRIED THE SECOND TIME--TO JULIA BURGESS, AND CHILDREN WERE BORN TO THEM. PERLINA, THE DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM, SR WAS BORN IN 1843, OR 1844 AND MARRIED A WILLIAM POLLY. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM CHILDREN, BUT I KNOW THE NAMES OF BUT TWO--ULYSSES AND SUSAN.

SAMUEL, A SON OF WILLIAM, SR. WAS BORN IN 1846, WAS MARRIED TO A SCISEN, AND UNTO THEM CHILDREN WERE BORN. THE NAMES OF TWO OF THEM WERE DAVID AND MILLARD.

NANCY, THE DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM, WAS BORN IN 1848 AND WAS MARRIED TO KING DOSEN, AND CHILDREN WERE BORN TO THEM--BUT I DO NOT KNOW HOW MANY.

- CHAPTER XXXVII -

WILLIAM BARTRAM, A PREACHER, SON OF WILLIAM, SR. WAS BORN IN 1850 AND WAS MARRIED TO SARAH THOMPSON, WHO WAS BORN IN 1850 AND CHILDREN WERE BORN UNTO THEM: DOCTOR JAY BARTRAM AND RANDLE AND ELIZA-WHO MARRIED JAY BLODGETT.

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ELISHA, A SON OF WILLIAM, WAS BORN IN 1852 AND WAS MARRIED TO MARTHA JANE ROBINSON, THE DAUGHTER OF WARREN ROBINSON. UNTO THEM CHILDREN WERE BORN, BUT I DO NOT KNOW THEIR NAMES.

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½ CHAPTER - XXXIX -

MARY ELISABETH, A DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM, WAS BORN IN 1854, AND WAS MARRIED TO FELIX WILSON; AND THERE WERE CHILDREN BORN TO THEM; BUT I DO NOT KNOW THE NAMES OF THEM.

GEORGE, A SON OF WILLIAM, WAS BORN IN 1856, AND THERE WERE CHILDREN BORN TO THEM. JEREMIAH, A SON OF WILLIAM, WAS BORN IN 1858.

- CHAPTER XL -

PERLINA A. BARTRAM, A DAUGHTER OF DAVID, SR. WAS BORN IN 1818, BUT MARRIED TO SAMUEL FRASHER IN 1833. THEY HAD FIVE CHILDREN, VIZ: MANERVA, THE ELDEST; JOHN, WHO DIED WHEN YOUNG; D. K., AND JAMES.

- CHAPTER XLI -

JOHN A SON OF DAVID, SR. WAS BORN IN 1820, AND HE WENT TO MISSOURI, AND THERE MARRIED. THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM THE FOLLOWING NAMED CHILDREN, VIZ: WILLIAM, MARY, PLINY, LOUANA, AND FRED. JOHN DIED IN MISSOURI.

CHAPTER XLII -

JAMES BARTRAM, THE BROTHER OF JOHN AND DAVID, SR. WAS MARRIED, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO HIM AND HIS WIFE THREE SONS: LEWIS, A MISSIONARY BAPTIST PREACHER; JOHN, WHO MARRIED MARY PINSON, AND ROBERT, WHO MARRIED A MARTIN, THE DAUGHTER OF STEPHEN AND BERTHA BARTRAM.

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- CHAPTER XLIII -

JAMES WELLMAN MARRIED NANCY WILSON, THE DAUGHTER OF JAMES WILSON, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN TWELVE CHILDREN. BOYS: MORRISON, JOHN, ALLEN, CORNELIUS, WILLIAM, JAMES MITCHELL, AND CLABAN. GIRLS: SARAH ANN, ANGELINE, ELISABETH. I KNOW NOT THE NAMES OF THE OTHERS.

- CHAPTER XLIV -

ROBERT WELLMAN AND MAHALA, HIS WIFE, HAD SIX CHILDREN, FOUR BOYS AND TWO GIRLS, VIZ: LABAN, ELISHA, OL, RICHARD, SIS AND SARAH. SIS MARRIED BENJAMIN FARRIS AND SARAH MARRIED CORNELIUS FRASHER.

SAMUEL WELLMAN MARRIED CUSA BURCHETT, AND HER, OR HIS DAUGHTER WAS NAMED CUSA. HIS DAUGHTER WAS MARRIED TO CORNEL JIMERSON FERGUSON; AND ONE SON, HENRY FERGUSON, WAS BORN.

-CHAPTER XLV-

JEREMIAH WELLMAN, WHO USED TO LIVE AT CATLETTSBURG, WAS BORN IN 1813, AND WAS MARRIED TO HUGHIE BOWENS, A DAUGHTER OF _____ AND THERE WERE CHILDREN BORN TO THEM, AS FOLLOWS. ELIZABETH, WHO MARRIED JAMES FRAZIER, AND THE OTHER GIRL MARRIED NOAH WELLMAN. THE BOYS WERE HUGHIE AND JOHN.

- CHAPTER XLVI -

ELISHA WELLMAN WAS BORN IN 1816, AND MARRIED MANERVA FRASHER IN 1839. TO THEM WERE BORN SOME TWELVE OR THIRTEEN CHILDREN, VIZ: WILLIAM, NANCY, JANE, JOHN, SAMUEL, JAMES HARVEY, JEREMIAH, JOSEPH, ROBERT, ELISHA, DAVID, BUREN, I HAVE GIVEN THIS COUNT.

-CHAPTER XLVII -

DAVID WELLMAN, A SON OF JOHN WELLMAN, SR. WAS MARRIED TO A DAUGHTER OF JAMES WILSON, SR, AND CHILDREN WERE BORN TO THEM, VIZ: SAMUEL, CALVIN, JAMES, NOAH, ALLEN, ATISON, GIRLS, KIZZIE, SARAH,

NAN, IS ALL I KNOW OF.

- CHAPTER XLVIII -

MARY WELLMAN, THE DAUGHTER OF JOHN, WAS MARRIED TO JOHN FRASHER THE SONE OF LEWIS, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM NINE CHILDREN: ELISABETH, WHO MARRIED JOHN AKERS; NANCY, WHO MARRIED JOHN REYNOLDS; SARAH, WHO MARRIED WARREN ROBINSON. LEWIS MARRIED WILLIAM FERGUSON, SR.'S DAUGHTER; ELISHA MARRIED A THOMPSON. NATHAN MARRIED NANCY RATCLIFFE, DAUGHTER OF WASHINGTON RATCLIFFE. SAMUEL Z. MARRIED HARMON LOAR'S DAUGHTER; REYNOLDS MARRIED THE WIDOW ROMANS; WILLIAM FRASHER MARRIED A THOMPSON; JOHN FRASHER MARRIED _____

- CHAPTER XLIX -

ELISABETH WELLMAN MARRIED NATHAN HOLT, AND THERE WAS BORN TO THIS UNION EIGHT CHILDREN, VIZ: JOHN, WADE, DAVID, WILLIAM, BALLARD, BENARD. THE GIRLS WERE MARY JANE AND PERMELIA. JOHN THE ELDEST, WAS MARRIED TO ANGELINA ADKINS. WADE MARRIED FRANCES DYER, THE DAUGHTER OF OWEN DYER. DAVID MARRIED AN ADKINS, A SISTER TO JOHN'S WIFE. WILLIAM MARRIED EUNICE WELLMAN, A DAUGHTER OF LEWIS WELLMAN AND SISTER OF MARY, JOHN BARTRAM'S WIFE; BALLARD MARRIED A DAUGHTER OF DAVID WEBB. BERNARD MARRIED A BUSSEY, AND MARY JANE MARRIED ANDREW EAVES. PERMELIA MARRIED LEWIS ADKINS, BROTHER OF LEVI.

- CHAPTER L -

NOTE THAT THERE WERE TWO BROTHERS WHO CAME TO THIS COUNTRY VERY EARLY IN THE EIGHTEENS BY THE NAME OF SAMUEL AND THOMAS SHORT WHO WERE COUSINS OF--OR SAID TO BE, TO SAMUEL WEBB AND NANCY AND SARAH FRANCIS, WHOSE NICKNAME WAS BOLLY. SAMUEL SHORT ALSO MARRIED THEIR HALF-SISTER, THEIR MOTHER HAVING BEEN MARRIED TO A FORMER

HUSBAND BY THE NAME OF BREEDEN. SAMUEL AND ELISBETH, HIS WIFE, HAD TWO SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS. THE TWO SONS, JAMES AND JOHN, WERE NEVER MARRIED, TO MY KNOWLEDGE. ONE OF THE DAUGHTERS MARRIED HIRAM CRABTREE. THE OTHER, NORA, WAS NEVER MARRIED.

- CHAPTER LI -

THOMAS SHORT WAS MARRIED TO A CHAPMAN, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN THREE SONS AND A DAUGHTER, VIZ: SAMUEL, WILLIAM, JAMES AND ELISABETH. SAMUEL, THE ELDEST, MARRIED, MARRIED THE DAUGHTER OF JUDGE RICE. WILLIAM MARRIED EMILY SEE, THE DAUGHTER OF GARRED SEE. JAMES WAS MARRIED TWICE, HIS FIRST WIFE BEING A TAYLOR, AND HIS SECOND WIFE A CHAPMAN. ELISABETH MARRIED JOHN CRABTREE, HAVING ONE SON AND TWO DAUGHTERS, VIZ: SAMUEL, MARINDA, WHO MARRIED WILLIAM JOHNSON, ADALINE, WHO MARRIED JACOB RICE; AND JACOB RICE SAVED MY LIFE BY TELLING ME TO NOT GO TO LOUISA, KY, WHICH WAS IN THE TIME OF THE CIVIL WAR.

-CHAPTER LII-

ELISABETH SHORT, PROBABLY THEIR AUNT, MARRIED LAZARUS DAMRON AND TO THEM WERE BORN FOUR SONS, VIZ: MOSES, SAMUEL, RICHARD, AND GEORGE. MOSES DAMRON WAS BORN IN '1750⁸, AND WAS MARRIED TO MARY PRESTON, IF I AM NOT MISTAKEN.

- CHAPTER LIII-

AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM EIGHT CHILDREN, THREE SONS AND FIVE DAUGHTERS. HE WAS MARRIED ALSO A SECOND TIME, AND THE CHILDREN BY THE LAST WIFE ARE SAMUEL, LAZARUS AND JOHN, NANCY, JANE AND ANNA. I DO NOT KNOW THE NAMES OF THE OTHER TWO. MOSES WAS A SON BY HIS SECOND WIFE WHO MARRIED A HERAL, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN SEVEN SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS RICHARD, GEORGE, WILLIAM, THOMAS, DAVID, LAFE, JOSHUA, NORA AND VASHTI.

- CHAPTER LIV -

SAMUEL DAMRON, ESQ, THE FIRST SON OF MOSES, WAS MARRIED THREE TIMES. HIS FIRST WIFE WAS VASHTI JARREL, A SISTER OF ELDER JOHN JARREL A MISSIONARY BAPTIST PREACHER, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN TWO SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS: MOSES, WHO WAS TWICE MARRIED. HIS FIRST WIFE WAS SARAH COPLEY, AND I DO NOT KNOW THE NAME OF THE OTHER. JAMES MARRIED A RATCLIFFE. NANCY MARRIED ADAM CRUM, AND TO THEIR UNION WAS BORN X SONS AND DAUGHTERS. DOUGLAS, SAMUEL, BOYD, AND ALBERT. SAMUEL CRUM MARRIED JULY BURK; BOYD CRUM MARRIED NANCY ADKINS, THE DAUGHTER OF JAMES. ALBERT CRUM WAS MARRIED TWICE, HIS FIRST WIFE BEING HANNAH CHAMBERS. THEY HAD TWO CHILDREN--NORA AND CLARA. HIS SECOND WIFE WAS MANERVA FITZPATRICK. FRASHER CRUM WAS ONE OF THE TWO CHILDREN BORN TO THEM

MARY DAMRON MARRIED CAPTAIN SAMUEL VINSON; AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN TAYLOR VINSON, FRED, THE DOCTOR, AND JAMES HUGHES' WIFE. I KNOW NOT HOW MANY MORE.

- CHAPTER LV -

SAMUEL DAMRON'S SECOND WIFE, DICY COPLEY WAS THE DAUGHTER OF JAMES AND NANCY COPLEY, THERE BEING BORN TO THIS UNION THREE SONS AND THREE DAUGHTERS. LA FAYETTE MARRIED NANCY MARCUM; WAYNE MARRIED LOU MITCHEL ADKINS; ELISABETH MARRIED JOHN BROMLEY; FLORENCE MARRIED VINFIELD VINSON; THURSA MARRIED JAMES FITZPATRICK; JENNIE MARRIED GEORGE CRUM.

HIS THIRD WIFE WAS THE WIDOW OF JOHN LANE, WHO DIED AT CATLETTSBURG, KY.

-CHAPTER LVI-

LAZARUS DAMRON, THE SON OF FIRST WIFE WAS MARRIED TO A RATCLIFFE, AND CHILDREN WERE BORN UNTO THEM, ALTHOUGH I DO NOT KNOW THE NAMES OF ANY OF THEM.

JOHN, THE THIRD SON OF MOSES DAMRON, SR. WAS MARRIED TO ELISABETH MARCUM, THE DAUGHTER OF JACOB, SR., AND SISTER TO PREACHER JACOB, AND TO THIS UNION WERE BORN FOUR SONS AND ONE DAUGHTER, VIZ: STEVEN, MARIAN, MADISON, AND JESSE. STEPHEN MARRIED NATHAN PERRY'S DAUGHTER, A SISTER TO "BIG ARNOLD." MARION WAS MARRIED TO A WIDOW, THE MOTHER OF SAMUEL WIGGLETON, WHO MARRIED THE DAUGHTER OF JOHN. DO NOT KNOW WHO MADISON OR JESSE MARRIED.

- CHAPTER LVII -

NANCY DAMRON, THE DAUGHTER OF MOSES, WAS MARRIED TO JAMES STONE, A SON OF EZEKIEL, A UNITED BAPTIST PREACHER, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN EIGHT CHILDREN, SIX BOYS AND TWO GIRLS, VIZ: MOSES, EZEKIAL, MARION, WASHINGTON, MADISON AND JOHN, EDA AND ELISABETH.

-CHAPTER LVIII-

JANE DAMRON, A DAUGHTER OF MOSES WAS MARRIED TO STEPHEN MARCUM, AND TO THEM WERE BORN TEN CHILDREN, SIX BOYS AND FOUR GIRLS, VIZ: THOMAS, JAMES, WILLIAM, PEMBROOKE, JOHN, AND LAZARUS; ELISABETH, ANNA, NANCY, AND UNE. ANOTHER OF MOSES DAUGHTERS MARRIED THOMAS BROWN AND ANOTHER MARRIED A VANHOOSE.

- CHAPTER LIX -

UNTO MOSES AND HIS SECOND WIFE WERE BORN SEVEN SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS, VIZ: RICHARD, GEORGE, WILLIAM, THOMAS, LAFE, DAVID AND JAMES, NORA AND VASHTI.

ANNA DAMRON MARRIED WASHINGTON RATCLIFFE, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN ONE SON, AND THREE DAUGHTERS, VIZ: ELIZA, THURZA AND WILLIAM.

- CHAPTER LX -

SAMUEL DAMRON, A BROTHER TO MOSES WAS MARRIED TWICE, HIS

FIRST WIFE BEING SARAH RATCLIFFE. UNTO THEM WERE BORN THREE SONS AND SIX DAUGHTERS, VIZ: MOSES, SILAS AND WASHINGTON; ELISABETH, NORA, ANNA, MILLY, MARY AND JANE. HIS SECOND WIFE WAS SARAH SMITH AND UNTO THIS UNION WERE BORN SIX SONS AND FOUR DAUGHTERS: JOH, SAMUEL, MOSES, JOSHUA, SILAS, THOMAS, MAHALA, JANE AND SARAH.

- CHAPTER LXI -

RICHARD DAMRON, SON OF LAZARUS, SR. AND BROTHER OF MOSES AND SAMUEL WAS MARRIED AND THERE WERE CHILDREN BORN UNTO THEM, VIZ: MOSES, SAMUEL, JOHN AND RICHARD, AND A DAUGHTER, POLLY, WHO MARRIED A BAPTIST PREACHER BY THE NAME OF GEORGE JOHNSON, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM THREE SONS AND THREE DAUGHTERS, VIZ. WASHINGTON, JAMES, AND ANDY JOHNSON; JANE, ELISABETH AND MARTHA. MARTHA MARRIED LEWIS BOWEN JANE MARRIED ALFRED JUSTICE.

- CHAPTER LXII -

GEORGE DAMRON WAS MARRIED TO ELISABETH BRANHAM, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN FOUR SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS, VIZ: LAZARUS, WILLIAM, SAMUEL WASHINGTON, POLLY AND ANNA. LAZARUS, THE ELDEST, MARRIED MARY CRUM THERE BEING BORN OF THIS UNION FOUR, OR FIVE SONS, AND A DAUGHTER: ADAM, LINZY, ALBERT, CHARLEY AND SARAH.

- CHAPTER LXIII -

WILLIAM, THE SECOND SON OF GEORGE, MARRIED ELISABETH PORTER BAKER, AND UNTO THEM WAS BORN ONE DAUGHTER. SAMUEL, THIRD SON OF GEORGE, MARRIED RACHAEL PRATT, THE DAUGHTER OF JOHN PRATT. WASHINGTON DAMRON, THE YOUNGEST SON OF GEORGE WAS MARRIED, I THINK, BUT I DO NOT KNOW WHO HIS WIFE WAS.

-CHAPTER LXIV-

I WAS TOLD BY FATHER THAT OLD POLLY OR MARY BROMLEY, THE WIFE

OF WILLIAM BROMLEY THAT HIS MOTHER CALLED HER "AUNT", AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SONS AND DAUGHTERS, AS FOLLOWS: JOHN BROMLEY, WHO MARRIED REBECCA PLYMAN AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SONS AND DAUGHTERS, VIZ: SAMUEL, WAYNE, MOLLY, LUCINDA, JOSEPHINE, JENNIE AND REBECCA, HIS SISTERS.

POLLY, OR MARY WAS MARRIED TO JAMES FERGUSON, AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN SIX SONS, VIZ: WILLIAM, SAMUEL, WADE, JAMES, HARVEY AND WAYNE.

- CHAPTER LXV -

_____ BROMLEY, THE DAUGHTER OF WILLIAM BROMLEY, MARRIED THOMPSON RATCLIFFE. I HAVE BEEN TOLD BY SOME OF MY PEOPLE, AND I THINK BY GRANDFATHER DAVID BARTRAM, HIMSELF, THAT OLD JOHN FERGUSON, THE FATHER OF JAMES, WAS HIS COUSIN.

- CHAPTER LXVI -

I HAVE FOUND OUT, SINCE COMMENCING THE WRITING OF THIS PAMPHLET, THAT STEPHEN BARTRAM CAME FROM IRELAND TO VIRGINIA BEFORE THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR AND WAS A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY. HE WAS MARRIED TO JANE PEERY IN 1775, OR BEFORE THAT TIME, FOR HIS SON DAVID WAS BORN IN 1778, AND HE HAD ONE OLDER BROTHER.

-CHAPTER LXVII-

NANCY PEERY, THE WIFE OF WILLIAM SHANNON, WERE THE MOTHER AND FATHER OF THOMAS, JAMES AND JOHN SHANNON. THOMAS SHANNON WAS MARRIED TWICE HIS FIRST WIFE BEING A MILLER, A SISTER OF EDWARD MILLER; AND UNTO THEM WERE BORN SONS AND DAUGHTERS, VIZ: WILLIAM AND JAMES. I DO NOT KNOW THE NAMES OF THE DAUGHTERS. HIS SECOND WIFE WAS AN ALLEY AND THEIR CHILDREN WERE ANDREW AND GRANCIER.

- CHAPTER LXVIII -

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JAMES SHANNON, THE BROTHER OF THOMAS WAS MARRIED, BUT I ONLY KNOW THE NAMES OF SOME OF THEIR CHILDREN, VIZ: LAYNE, GEORGE, JOSEPHA METHODIST PREACHER, AND HARVEY. ONE DAUGHTER MARRIED WILLIAM CHRISTIAN, A METHODIST PREACHER.

- CHAPTER LXIX -

JOHN SHANNON, THE FATHER OF FLOYD SHANNON, WHO WENT BY THE NAME OF DOE, NEVER MOVED TO THIS COUNTRY THAT I KNOW OF, BUT HIS SON DID, AND THIS SON MARRIED A ROARK, THE SISTER OF JOSEPHINE AND JAMES. UNTO THEM WAS BORN A SON, JAMES, THE FATHER OF ERNEST AND NORA. FLOYD SHANNON BUILT A HOUSE FOR MY FATHER, SAMUEL FRASHER, AT THE FALLS OF TUG ABOUT 1850 OR 1851.

-CHAPTER LXX -

LEWIS FRASHER, THE SON OF HONEST JOHN FRASHER, MARRIED ELISABETH FERGUSON. IF I AM NOT MISTAKEN, A SON BY THE NAME OF JENKINS MARRIED HALBERT WALKER'S DAUGHTER, AND THEY HAD A SON, CHARLEY WHO MARRIED ELISABETH MAYNARD A DAUGHTER OF DANIEL MAYNARD. I DO NOT KNOW THE NAMES OF ANY OF THEIR OFFSPRING, EXCEPT NATHAN, AND HE HE WAS 78. HE MARRIED A RATCLIFFE AND TO THEM WERE BORN FOUR DAUGHTERS.

- CHAPTER LXXI -

LAZARUS DAMRON, A SON OF GEORGE DAMRON WHO USED TO LIVE UP ON TWELVE POLE AND OWNED THE PLACE THAT IS NOW KNOWN BY THE NAME OF DUNLOW, AND HE MOVED TO WHITE'S CREEK. HIS SON CHARLEY TOLD ME HE WAS 93 YEARS OLD AND WAS ENTIRELY BLIND. I HOPE HIS FRIENDS AND CHILDREN WILL NOT FORGET HIM IN HIS NECESSITIES.

- CHAPTER LXXII -

I WAS INFORMED BY ADRIAN NAPIER, AN OFFSPRING OF PATRICK NAPIER,

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THAT PATRICK NAPIER, EDMOND AND THOMAS NAPIER, THREE BROTHERS, LEFT VIRGINIA, AND PATRICK AND EDMOND CAME INTO KENTUCKY. PATRICK SETTLED IN LESLIE, OR HARLAN COUNTY. EDMOND SETTLED IN SOME COUNTY NEAR FRANKFORT, AND THOMAS SETTLED IN CABELL COUNTY, ON TWELVE POLE NOW WAYNE, W, VA. IN ABOUT THE YEAR 1800.

THOMAS MARRIED NANCY SMITH, AND THERE WERE BORN UNTO THEM SEVEN SONS AND TWO DAUGHTERS, VIZ: EDMOND, MOSES, PATRICK, WILLIAM, ROBERT, ADAM AND THOMAS. EDMOND MARRIED PERLINA WATTS. WILLIAM MARRIED NANCY QUEEN. ROBERT MARRIED MARY OSBURN. ADAM MARRIED SUSAN FINLEY. THOMAS WAS NOT MARRIED.

-CHAPTER LXXIII-

UNTO EDMOND AND ELLA WERE BORN FIVE SONS AND THREE DAUGHTERS, VIZ: ALFORD, EDMOND, JOHN, MITCHELL AND SAMUEL; HANNAH, NELLIE AND JANE

UNTO MOSES AND VICY WERE BORN: YOUNGA, MOSES, HANNAH, MARGARET, MARY JANE, HANY, CHRISTINE AND PRUSHA.

UNTO PATRICK AND PERLINA, VIZ: JOHNSON, THOMAS, WILLIAM, PATRICK, JULIA, MARY JANE, ELLEN, AND PEARL.

UNTO WILLIAM AND NANCY, VIZ: WALTER, THOMAS, WILLIAM, EDMOND, JOHN, HANNAH AND SARAH.

UNTO ROBERT AND MARY, VIZ: JOHN, WILLIAM, HARRY, CYNTHIA, SARAH, JANE AND MARY ELLEN.

- CHAPTER LXXIV -

UNTO ADAM AND SUSAN WERE BORN EIGHT CHILDREN, SIX BOYS AND TWO GIRLS, VIZ: THOMAS, HEZEKIAH, ELISABETH, JACOB, JAMES, ROBERT, PATRICK AND HANNAH.

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EDMOND, PATRICK, AND WILLIAM NAPIER, THREE SONS OF THOMAS NAPIER, SR. WERE ORDAINED ELDERS IN THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST, THAT IS CALLED UNITED BAPTISTS, AND WERE MEN WHO PROVED THEMSELVES WORKMEN IN THE GOSPEL. NOW, NOTE, SOME OF THIS I KNOW TO BE A FACT, AND WHAT I HAVE HEARD FROM OTHERS WHOM I BELIEVE TO BE RELIABLE PEOPLE, AND CONFIRMED BY FIVE OR SIX ORTHODOX ASSOCIATIONS. I DOUBT IF THERE COULD BE FOUND MORE ORTHODOX IN THE WORLD THAN IN THIS CORRESPONDENCE: G. 3:15 PAUL: BRETHREN I SPEAK AFTER THE MANNER OF MEN; THOUGH IT BE BUT A MAN'S COVENANT, YET IF IT BE CONFIRMED, NO MAN DISANNULLETH OR ADDETH THERETO.

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LOUISA, KY.,

FEB'Y 5TH.

FREE.

HONBL. JOHN WHITE, SPEAKER,

HONBL. L. W. ANDREWS,

WASHINGTON CITY. HON. L. W. ANDREWS,
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HS. REPS. 13TH FEB., 1843.

DR. SIR:

HAVING A PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF OLD MAN MICAHAH FRAZURE
AS A MAN OF GOOD CHARACTER AND HAS EVER BEEN REPUTED IN HIS NEIGHBOR-
HOOD AS A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER, AND WELL KNOWING THAT THE SEVER-
AL WITNESSES IN HIS BEHALF ARE ALL MEN OF GOOD CHARACTER AND ENTITLED
TO THE FULLEST CREDIT IN THEIR STATEMENTS. IT IS TRUE THEY ARE OLD
AND SUBJECT TO THE FAULTS USUAL TO OLD MEN, YET I KNOW THESE MEN
TO BE ABOVE THE SLIGHTEST SUSPICION. I, THEREFORE ERNESTLY HOPE
THAT MR. FRAZURE SHALL SECURE A PENSION FOR AT LEAST EIGHTEEN
MONTHS SERVICE.

YOUR OBT. SERV.,

(SIGNED) L. W. ANDREWS, OF HS. REPS.
FROM KY.

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HS. REPS., 13TH FEB., 1843.

DR. SIR:

I SEND YOU HEREIN ADDITIONAL TESTIMONY IN THE CASE OF

M. FRAZURE WHICH I MOST CERTAINLY BELIEVE THAT YOU WILL FIND ALL
SUFFICIENT TO ALLOW 18 MONTHS SERVICE. I AM INDUCED TO URGE
THIS CASE PERHAPS WITH AN UNUSUAL DEGREE OF EARNESTNESS. BUT MY
APPEAL IS TO BE FOUND IN MY _____ PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF
ALL THE PARTIES.

YOUR EARLY ATTENTION IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

(SIGNED) YOUR FRD. (?)

L. W. ANDREWS.

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32,019- KENTUCKY. MICAGER FRAZEUR, OF LAWRENCE COUNTY, IN
THE STATE OF KENTUCKY, WHO WAS A PRIVATE IN THE COMPANY COMMANDED BY
CAPTAIN CABELL, OF THE REGT. COMMANDED BY COL. POPE, IN THE VIRGINIA LINE
FOR 18 MONTHS.

INSCRIBED ON THE ROLL OF KENTUCKY AT THE RATE OF 60 DOL-
LARS PER ANNUM, TO COMMENCE ON THE 4TH DAY OF MARCH, 1831.

CERTIFICATE OF PENSION ISSUED THE 28TH DAY OF FEB. 1843,
AND SENT TO HON. L. W. ANDREWS, HOUSE OF REPS.

ARREARS TO THE 4TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1842, \$690.00

SEMI-ANNUAL ALLOWANCE ENDING 4 MARCH, 1843 30.00
\$720.00

REVOLUTIONARY CLAIM, ACT JUNE 7, 1832.

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STATE OF MISSOURI, COUNTY OF JACKSON, SS.

ON THIS 2ND DAY OF MAY IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUS-
AND EIGHT HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIX, PERSONALLY APPEARED BEFORE THE
COUNTY COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY MICAGER FRASHUR A RESIDENT OF
ROCK CREEK IN THE COUNTY OF JACKSON AND STATE OF MISSOURI, AGED 82
82 YEARS, WHO BEING FIRST DULY SWORN, ON HIS OATH MAKES THE FOLLOW-
ING DECLARATION IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE BENEFIT OF THE PROVISION
MADE BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS PASSED JUNE 7TH, 1832.

I, MICAGER FRASHUR OF ROCK CREEK, JACKSON COUNTY, STATE
OF MISSOURI, WAS BORN 25TH OF DECEMBER, 1753 IN THE COUNTY OF ALBERM
ARLE, VIRGINIA, AND WHEN A YOUTH REMOVED TO AMHERST COUNTY, VIR-
GINIA, WHERE I GREW UP AND WAS DRAFTED INTO THE SERVICES OF THE
UNITED STATES AND MARCHED TO ALBERMARL BARRICKS UNDER CAPTAIN
RICHARD BALLANGER, WHICH PLACE WAS COMMANDED BY COLONEL TAYLOR,
WHERE I REMAINED ONE MONTH AND WAS THEN DISCHARGED AND RETURNED TO
AMHERST COUNTY, VIRGINIA. NOT LONG AFTER I RETURNED HOME I ENLISTED
UNDER BENJAMIN TALLAFERRO FOR EIGHTEEN MONTHS AND MARCHED UNDER COM-
MAND OF CAPT. SAMUEL CABELL FROM AMHERST CO. DOWN JAMES RIVER BY
RIDHMOND TO WILLIAMSBURG WHERE WE JOINED GEN'L MARQUES DE LAFAYETTE
WHO WAS ENGAGED IN BATTLE WITH THE BRITISH; AND THE MORNING WHICH
WE ARRIVED THE ENEMY LEFT IN THEIR VESSELS DOWN THE RIVER. SHORTLY
AFTER WE GOT TO WILLIAMSBURG SEVERAL COMPANIES OF US WENT UNDER COMMAD
AND OF MAJOR WILLIS CABELL DOWN TO AMELIA COUNTY TO HOOD'S FORT
WHICH WAS COMMANDED AT THAT TIME BY COL. DABNEY. I ALSO SAW MAJOR
HARDMAN THERE, AND AT DIFFERENT TIMES I SAW COL MERRIWETHER AND
GEN'L LA FAYETTE. WE WERE MARCHED TO THE FLOWRY HUNDRED, THEN

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BACK TO HOOD'S FORT THEN TO THE FLOWRY HUNDRED, & BEFORE THE EXPIRATION OF MY TIME I WAS TAKEN SICK WITH THE YELLOW FEVER AND WAS VERY ILL, AND A RELATIVE OF MINE PROCURED A FURLOUGH FROM GEN'L LA FAYETTE FOR ME AND TOOK ME HOME, WHERE I REMAINED UNTIL I RECOVERED; AND NOT LONG AFTER I WAS DRAFTED FOR SIXTY DAYS AND MARCHED FROM AMHERST UNDER CAPTAIN DAWSON TO WILLIAMSBURG AND HOOD'S FORT AND TO THE FLOWRY HUNDRED, AND WAS UNDER COL. DABNEY, AND AT THE END OF SIXTY DAYS I WAS DISCHARGED AND RETURNED HOME; AND AFTER THAT I WAS DRAFTED AGAIN FOR THREE MONTHS, WHICH THREE MONTHS I SERVED IN THE SAME PART OF THE COUNTRY I HAD BEEN BEFORE; AND AT THE END OF THE THREE MONTHS I WAS DISCHARGED AND RETURNED HOME WHERE I REMAINED ABOUT ONE YEAR; THEN I ^{REMOVED} ~~RETURNED~~ TO WILKES COUNTY, N. C. WHERE I REMAINED ABOUT TWO YEARS IN WHICH TIME I WENT TO AMHERST COUNTY, VA. WHERE I MARRIED; THEN MOVED TO PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY, VA. WHERE I REMAINED ABOUT THREE YEARS; THEN I REMOVED TO THE WESTERN PART OF VIRGINIA, IN THE COUNTY OF SANDY RIVER, WHERE I REMAINED UNTIL ABOUT TWELVE MONTHS SINCE, WHEN I CAME TO THE COUNTY OF JACKSON AND STATE OF MISSOURI. ALL THE DISCHARGES I EVER HAD WAS BURNT IN THE CONFLAGRATION OF A DWELLING HOUSE; AND I DO NOT KNOW ANY PERSON LIVING NEAR ME WHO CAN TESTIFY TO THESE FACTS. I HEREBY RELINQUISH EVERY CLAIM WHATSOEVER TO A PENSION OR AN ANNUITY EXCEPT THE PRESENT, AND I DECLARE THAT MY NAME IS NOT ON ANY PENSION ROLL OF ANY AGENCY OF ANY STATE.

(SIGNED)

HIS
MICAGAX FRASHURE
MARK.

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WE, SAMUEL SHORT AND JAMES GARRETT, RESIDING NEAR ROCK CREEK
IN THE COUNTY OF JACKSON AND STATE OF MISSOURI, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT
WE ARE WELL ACQUAINTED WITH MICAGER FRASHURE WHO HAS SUBSCRIBED
AND SWORN TO THE ABOVE DECLARATION; AND THAT WE BELIEVE HIM TO BE
EIGHTY-TWO YEARS OF AGE THAT HE IS REPUTED AND BELIEVED IN THE
NEIGHBORHOOD WHERE HE LIVES TO HAVE BEEN A SOLDIER OF THE REVOLUTIONARY
WAR, AND WE CONCUR IN THAT OPINION.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED THE DAY AND YEAR AFORESAID.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL SHORT
JAMES G. GARRETT.

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WE, MOSES G. WILSON, LAWRENCE FLORNOY AND DANIEL P. LEWIS,
JUDGES OF THE COUNTY COURT OF JACKSON COUNTY, AFTER THE INVESTI-
GATION OF THE MATTER AND AFTER PUTTING THE INTERROGATIONS PRESCRIBED
BY THE WAR DEPARTMENT, BELIEVE THAT THE ABOVE NAMED APPLICANT WAS
A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER, AS HE STATES; AND WE FURTHER CERTIFY THAT
SAMUEL SHORT AND JAMES GARRETT, WHO HAVE SIGNED THE PRECEDING
CERTIFICATE ARE RESIDENTS OF JACKSON COUNTY, ARE CREDITABLE PERSONS
AND THEIR STATEMENTS ARE ENTITLED TO CREDIT.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS THIS DAY AND YEAR FIRST ABOVE WRITTEN.

(SIGNED) M.G. WILSON
DAN'L P. LEWIS,
LAW, FLORNOY.

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STATE OF MISSOURI, COUNTY OF JACKSON, SS.

I, SAMUEL C. MIMS, CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT WITHIN AND FOR THE
COUNTY AFORESAID, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT MOSES G. WILSON, DANIEL P.
LEWIS AND LAWRENCE FLORNOY, ESQUIRES, WHO APPEAR TO HAVE SIGNED AND
CERTIFIED THE FOREGOING CERTIFICATE NOW IS, AND WAS AT THE TIME

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OF SO DOING, THE ACTING JUSTICES OF THE COUNTY COURT WITHIN, AND
FOR THE COUNTY AFORESAID, DULY COMMISSIONED AND QUALIFIED; AND THAT
ALL ACTS DONE BY THEM IN THAT CAPACITY FULL FAITH AND CREDIT ARE DUE
AND OUGHT TO BE GIVEN AS WELL IN COURTS OF JUSTICE AS
AND THAT THEIR SIGNATURES ARE GENUINE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I HAVE HEREUNTO AFFIXED THE SEAL OF
SAID COURT AT OFFICE OF INDEPENDENCE THIS 3RD DAY OF MAY, A. D.
1836.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL C. MIMS, CLERK,
BY JNO. R. SWEARINGTON D. C.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
PENSION OFFICE, JUNE 17, 1836.

SIR:

THE DECLARATION OF MICAJAH FRASHER, OF MISSOURI, HAS BEEN
EX'D AND FILED WITH SUSPENDED CASES IN THIS OFFICE. HE ALLEGES TO
HAVE SERVED AS A MILITIA MAN AND AN ENLISTED SOLDIER OF VIRGINIA, BUT
HAS NOT GIVEN A STATEMENT OF HIS SERVICES WITH SUCH PRECISION AS TO
ENABLE THE DEPARTMENT TO DECIDE AS TO THE AMOUNT OF PENSION TO
WHICH HE WOULD BE ENTITLED. HE SHOULD STATE THE PERIOD AT WHICH HE
ENTERED UPON HIS SEVERAL TERMS AND GIVE A PARTICULAR ACCOUNT OF ALL
THE CIRCUMSTANCES CONNECTED THEREWITH. THE TIME AT WHICH HE EN-
LISTED SHOULD ALSO BE GIVEN AS WELL AS THE SERVICES PERFORMED, AND THE
TIME AT WHICH HE WAS DISCHARGED. THE ROLLS OF SERVICE IN THIS
OFFICE DO NOT BEAR HIS NAME THEREON. THE TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES, AS RE-
QUIRED IN NOTE IN THE ENCLOSED PRINTED SHEET SHOULD THEREFORE BE
EXHIBITED. IT ALSO REQUIRED THAT THE APPLICANT SHOULD STATE UN-
DER OATH HIS REASONS FOR NOT APPLYING LONG SINCE FOR THE

BENEFITS OF THE ACT OF MARCH 18, 1818, AND HE HAS NOW ONLY
APPLIED FOR A PENSION UNDER THE ACT OF JUNE 7, 1832.

WM. McCARRICK, ESQ.,
PRESENT,
JUNE 17, 1836.

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SUSPENDEE, CT. (LOT?) 17 JUNE, 1836.

WM. McCARRICK,
PRESENT.

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STATE OF KENTUCKY, LAWRENCE COUNTY, SCT.

AT A COURT COMMENCED AND HELD AT THE COURT HOUSE IN LOUISA,
ON MONDAY THE 26TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1842 FOR THE COUNTY OF LAWRENCE.

PRESENT: ZATTU CUSHING, JOHN CRABTREE AND WILLIAM MCCLURE,
GENTLEMEN JUSTICES OF SAID COURT.

BE IT REMEMBERED THAT ON THIS DAY, TO-WIT THE 26TH DAY OF
DECEMBER, 1842, MICAGER FRAZEUR PRESENTED IN OPEN COURT HIS DECLARA-
TION FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING A PENSION, WHICH IS IN THE FOLLOWING
WORDS AND FIGURES, TO-WIT:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, LAWRENCE COUNTY SCT.

ON THE 26TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1842, PERSONALLY APPEARED IN OPEN
COURT MICAGER FRAZEUR, A RESIDENT AND CITIZEN OF THE COUNTY OF LAW-
RENCE AND STATE OF KENTUCKY, AGED 88 YEARS, WHO, FIRST BEING DULY SWORN
ACCORDING TO LAW, DOTH ON HIS OATH MAKE THE FOLLOWING ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ STATE-
MENT OR DECLARATION IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE BENEFIT OF PROVISION MADE
BY AN ACT OF CONGRESS OF THE 7TH DAY OF JUNE, 1832, TO-WIT: THAT IN THE
YEAR 1780, HE THINKS 1 APRIL, HE ENLISTED IN THE SERVICE OF THE
UNITED STATES OF NORTH AMERICA AS A VOLUNTEER PRIVATE IN THE REVOLU-
TIONARY WAR UNDER CAPTAIN SAMUEL CABELL, SOMETIME CALLED "CAVELL",
IN AMHERST COUNTY, VIRGINIA, FOR THE TERM OF 18 MONTHS; AND FROM
THENCE WAS MARCHED TO HOOD'S FORT, HE THINKS IN AMELIA COUNTY, VA.
UNDER THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS, TO-WIT: CAPTAIN RICHARD BALLINGER
, MAJOR HARDMAN AND COL DABNEY TO NEAR WILLIAMSBURG AND WAS HERE STA-
TIONED. AFTER THE BATTLE COMMENCED AT WILLIAMSBURG, ANOTHER EXPRESS
CAME FROM GENERAL LA FAYETTE, CHIEF COMMANDER AT THIS PLACE, TO

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MARCH INTO BATTLE. WHEN THE REGIMENT THAT I WAS IN ARRIVED THE BATTLE WAS OVER; AND THIS REGIMENT WAS PUT INTO THE REGIMENT WHICH HAD BEEN BROKEN, WHICH WAS COMMANDED TO MARCH TO THE MOUTH OF LITTLE YORK AGAINST CORNWALLIS UNTIL WALLIS SURRENDERED TO GENERAL WASHINGTON WHICH, AS WELL AS THIS PETITIONED, CAN RECOLLECT IN OCTOBER, 1781. AFTER WALLIS SURRENDERED WE WERE PUT INTO A DETACHED COMPANY COMMANDED BY THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS, TO-WIT: CAPTAIN GREEN, LIEUTENANT EDES, AND MAJOR HARDMAN TO GUARD A BODY OF WALLISES MEN TO WICHESTER. AFTER MARCHING THE PRISONERS FOR SOME TIME THEY WERE DELIVERED TO SOME OTHER COMPANY, AT WHICH TIME AND PLACE HE HAD SERVED 18 MONTHS, GOT HIS DISCHARGE FROM HIS COMMANDING OFFICERS, HANDED TO HIM BY CAPTAIN TOLLIVER, THROUGH A WINDOW. HE IS NOT CERTAIN WHOSE SIGNATURE WAS TO IT, AS HE IS ILLITERATE, AND AS IT WAS DESTROYED BY THE ACCIDENTAL BURNING OF HIS HOUSE IN AMHERST COUNTY MANY YEARS AGO. JOHN WITT, LITTLEBURY WITT, JOHN HARDY, ALEXANDER MILLER, BENJAMIN FRY BEN CARRELL, AND SEVERAL OTHERS, MAKING ABOUT TWENTY THAT GOT THEIR DISCHARGES AT THE SAME TIME, AND RETURNED WITH ME TO AMHERST COUNTY, VA. AND HE HEREBY RELINQUISHES EVERY CLAIM, WHATSOEVER, TO A PENSION OR ANNUITY EXCEPT THE PRESENT, AND DECLARES HIS NAME IS NOT ON THE PENSION ROLL OF THE AGENCY IN ANY STATE.

(SIGNED)

MICAGERX FRAZEUR
HIS MARK.

SUBSCRIBER AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF THE COURT, THIS
26TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1842.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY, LAWRENCE COUNTY, SCT.

THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED JOSIAH MARCUM, A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER AND PENSIONER AND MADE OATH THAT THE FOREGOING PETITION OF MICAHAH FRAZEUR IS SUBSTANTIALLY TRUE, AND THAT TO HIS PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE SAID FRAZEUR SERVED IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, AS ABOVE STATED.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED IN THE PRESENCE OF ME THIS THE 22ND DAY OF DECEMBER, 1842.

(SIGNED) JAMES MARCUM, J.P.L.C.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, TO-WIT:

THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED ADAM CRUM, AN OLD REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER OF RESPECTABILITY AND GOOD CHARACTER, AND MADE OATH THAT HE IS PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH THE FOREGOING PETITIONER, MAJAH FRAZURE, AND WAS IN THE TIME OF THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, AND, FURTHER THAT THE DEPONENT SAW SAID FRAZURE IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES AT WILLIAMSBURG, AND ALSO LITTLE YORK, AS STATED IN THE PETITION. HE ALSO SAW JOHN WITT AND LITTLEBURY WITT IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES AT THE SAME TIME AND PLACES. THE DEPONENT IS OLD AND BLIND, AND NOT ABLE TO WRITE HIS OWN NAME.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL AS A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR THE COUNTY AFORESAID THIS 23RD DAY OF DECEMBER, 1842.

(SIGNED) THOS. COPLEY, J.P.W.C.

AND THE SAID COURT DO HEREBY DECLARE THEIR OPINION THAT THE ABOVE NAMED APPLICANT WAS A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER, AND SERVED AS HE STATES.

I, GEORGE F. HATCHER, CLERK OF THE COURT OF LAWRENCE

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COUNTY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING CONTAINS THE ORIGINAL PROCEEDINGS OF SAID COURT IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MICAJAH FRAZURE FOR A PENSION. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE THIS 28TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1842.

(SIGNED) GEO. F. HATCHER, CLERK COUNTY COURT, KY.

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29-~~DEC.~~ DEC. 1842, LOUISA, KY.

DEAR SIR: FOR FEAR ~~XXXX~~ THE PETITION FORMERLY SENT ON FOR MR. FRAZEURE MAY HAVE BEEN MISPLACED, I HERE SEND YOU A NEW PETITION AS WELL AUTHENTICATED AS I THINK IS NECESSARY. HOWEVER, THE OLD MAN IN MUCH NEED, AND THERE IS NO DOUBT AMONG THE OLD CITIZENS AS TO HIS SERVICES, AS STATED. PLEASE CORRESPOND AS QUICK AS POSSIBLE AND CONFER A FAVOR ON G. V. GOBLE.

MESSRS. WHITE & ANDREWS.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, WAYNE COUNTY, SCT. 11

THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED JOSIAH MARCUM AND MADE OATH THAT TO HIS PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE MICAGER FRAZEUR ENLISTED AS A VOLUNTEER IN THE CONTINENTAL LINE OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY IN APRIL, 1780, IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR IN AMHERST COUNTY, VIRGINIA, FOR THE TERM OF 18 MONTHS UNDER CAPTAIN SAMUEL CABELL, SOMETIMES CALLED "CAVELL", AND THAT FROM THERE HE WAS MARCHED TO HOOD'S FORT UNDER THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS, TO-WIT: CAPTAIN RICHARD BALLINGER, MAJOR Wm. CABELL AND COL POPE, AT WHICH PLACE WE WERE STATIONED FOR SOME TIME; AFTER WHICH AN EXPRESS CAME FROM HEADQUARTERS TO MARCH TO WILLIAMSBURG, VA. WE THEN MARCHED UNDER THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS: CAPTAIN RICHARD BALLINGER, MAJOR HARDIMAN AND COL DABNEY TO NEAR WILLIAMSBURG AND WAS THERE STATIONED, AFTER THE BATTLE COMMENCED AT WILLIAMSBURG. ANOTHER EXPRESS CAME FROM GEN'L LA FAYETTE TO MARCH INTO BATTLE. WHEN THE REGIMENT THAT WE WERE IN THE BATTLE WAS OVER, AND THIS REGIMENT WAS PUT INTO A BROKEN REGIMENT WHICH WAS COMMANDED TO MARCH TO YORK AGAINST CORNWALLIS, AT WHICH PLACE WE WERE STATIONED AND SERVED IN MAKING BREASTWORKS FOR SOME TIME AND UNTIL WALLIS SURRENDERED TO GENERAL WASHINGTON IN OCTOBER, 1781. AFTER WALLIS SURRENDERED WE WERE PUT INTO A DETACHED COMPANY~~XX~~ COMMANDED BY CAPTAIN GREEN, LIEUTENANT EDES AND MAJOR HARDIMAN TO GUARD A BODY OF WALLISES MEN TO WINCHESTER. AFTER MARCHING THE PRISONERS FOR SOME DISTANCE THEY WERE DELIVERED TO SOME OTHER COMPANY, AT WHICH TIME AND PLACE I, AND SEVERAL OF THE SOLDIERS GOT THEIR DISCHARGES, HANDED TO THEM THROUGH A WINDOW BY CAPTAIN TOLLIVER, AMONGST WHOM SAID FRAZEUR WAS ONE THAT GOT HIS DISCHARGE

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MY UNDERSTANDING WAS THAT THEY HAD SERVED THEIR TERM OF 18 MONTHS.

SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF AND BEFORE THE UNDERSIGNED A JUSTICE-OF-THE-PEACE IN AND FOR THE COUNTY AFORESAID THIS 27 JAN'y, 1843.

(SIGNED) SAM'L WEBB J.P.W.C. VA.

AND I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING AFFIANT JOSIAH MARCUM IS A MAN OF CREDIBILITY AND GOOD CHARACTER.

(SIGNED) SAMUEL WEBB, J.P.W.C. VA.

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AND I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT MICAGER FRAZEUR IS A VERY OLD MAN, AT LEAST FROM ALL APPEARANCES WITH A LONG ACQUAINTANCE OF FORTY YEARS, I WOULD JUDGE HIM TO BE 88 OR 90 YEARS OLD AND A REPUTABLE MAN, AND THAT AS LONG AGO AS I CAN WELL RECOLLECT IT WAS THE GENERAL UNDERSTANDING AMONG THE NEIGHBORS THAT HE SERVED IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR, AND TO MY OWN PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE HE HAS, AS OFTEN AS TWICE, MANY YEARS AGO, HAD HIS PAPERS PREPARED TO FORWARD TO TRY FOR A PENSION, AND BOTH TIMES HIS PAPERS WERE LOST OR MISLAID BY CARELESS HANDS WITHOUT BEING FORWARDED. FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO I HEARD DIFFERENT MEN, WHO ARE NOW DEAD, THAT WERE REPUTED TO HAVE SERVED IN THE REVOLUTION, SAY THAT THEY HAD SEEN FRAZEUR IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE REVOLUTION AS A SOLDIER.

(SIGNED) SAM'L WEBB.

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MICAJAH FRAZEUR, PETITIONER FOR A PENSION, STATES THAT SOMETIME AFTER THE WARS OF THE REVOLUTION HE MOVED OUT TO THE WESTERN NEW PART OF VIRGINIA AND LIVED THERE A LONG TIME BEFORE ANY OF HIS OLD COMRADES IN ARMS WERE KNOWN TO BE ANY WAY NEAR TO HIM.

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SINCE THE ACT OF 1832 HE HAS TWICE PREPARED HIS PAPERS, OR HAD THEM PREPARED TO TRY TO GET A PENSION, AND BOTH TIMES ENTRUSTED THE CARE OF THEM TO CARELESS OR UNFORTUNATE HANDS WHO LOST OR MIS-LADD THEM; AFTER WHICH HE MOVED TO THE STATE OF MISSOURI AND WAS THERE FOR SEVERAL YEARS, WHICH CAUSED A FURTHER PROCRASTINATION IN HIS EFFORTS UNTIL HE MOVED BACK TO KENTUCKY, AND THEREFORE THINKS THAT THE ALLEGED SUPINENESS IS NOT, WHEN PROPERLY UNDERSTOOD, JUSTLY CHARGABLE TO HIM.

SWORN TO THIS 4TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1843, BEFORE THE UNDER-SIGNED

(SIGNED) J. CRABTREE, JUSTICE-OF-PEACE OF
LAWRENCE COUNTY, KY.

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FEB'Y 4, 43.

DEAR SIR:

THE ABOVE TOGETHER WITH ESQUIRE WEBB'S CERTIFICATE IS, I THINK, A FULL EXPLANATION OF THE CAUSE OF DELAY. CRUM, THE AFFIANT WHOSE AFFIDAVIT WAS BEFORE SENT ~~ON~~ ON WAS CERTIFIED BY THE MAGISTRATE TO BE A MAN OF CREDIT, HE PROVES THE SERVICE IN PART. MARKHAM WAS SWORN BY HIS SON, AND OUT OF A DELICACY, HE WAS NOT ASKED TO CERTIFY TO HIS CREDIBILITY. I HEREIN ENCLOSE YOU TWO ADDITIONAL AFFIDAVITS WHICH BOTH PROVE TO THEIR PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE THE ENLISTMENT, SERVICE AND DISCHARGE OF THE PETITIONER CONCLUSIVELY. LIVING AT A DISTANCE--ONE OF 23 OR 24, AND THE OTHER OF 35 MILES FROM THE PETITIONER, AND FROM 20 TO 30 MILES FROM EACH OTHER WITHOUT ANY CONSULTATION, WHATEVER, THE FACTS APPEAR ENTIRELY FAMILIAR TO THEM AS MUCH AS COULD BE EXPECTED AT THIS DISTANT TIME FROM THE ALLEGED SERVICE. THE PETITIONER IS NOT A VERY VIGILANT MAN, AND

THE COMMUNITY HERE APPEARS ENTIRELY SATISFIED OF HIS HAVING SERVED AS A SOLDIER IN THE REVOLUTION.

THE ABRIDGED FORM OF AFFIDAVIT FORMERLY SENT OUT WAS MY OWN FAULT, BELIEVING THAT A GENERAL STATEMENT WAS ALL THAT WAS NECESSARY, AS I NEVER IN MY LIFE UNDERTOOK TO PREPARE A CASE OF THIS KIND. KNOWING THE IMPOSITIONS THAT IS SOMETIMES PRACTICED UPON THE GOVERNMENT, I DISDAINED TO MEDDLE WITH THEM, BUT BEING FULLY SATISFIED WITH THE JUSTNESS OF THIS CLAIM AND THE DELAYS OF JUSTICE THEREIN, I CONCLUDED TO MAKE AN EFFORT TO W WORTHY OLD SOLDIER. I AM SATISFIED OF THE CREDIBILITY, NOT ONLY OF THE PETITIONER, BUT OF THE WITNESSES IN THIS CASE. PLEASE LET ME KNOW AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE. IF YOU COULD ATTEND IN PERSON TO THE READING OF THE PAPERS IN THIS CASE YOU WOULD CONFER A FAVOR,

YOURS, &c.

(SIGNED) G. V. GOBEL.

HONORABLE SPEAKER J. WHITE, AND
HON'L L. W. ANDREWS.

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, CABELL COUNTY, TO-WIT:

THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED HENRY PEYTON AND MADE OATH THAT TO HIS PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE MICAGER FRAZEUR IN APRIL, 1780, IN AMHERST COUNTY, VIRGINIA, ENLISTED AS A VOLUNTEER IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR UNDER CAPTAIN SAMUEL CABELL SOMETIMES CALLED "CAVELL", FOR THE TERM OF 18 MONTHS, AND FROM THERE WAS MARCHED TO HOOD'S FORT UNDER CAPTAIN RICHARD BALLINGER, MAJOR WM. CABELL AND COL. POPE, AT WHICH PLACE WE WERE SOMETIME STATIONED; AFTER WHICH AN EXPRESS CAME FROM HEADQUARTERS TO

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MARCH TO WILLIAMSBURG, VIRGINIA. WE THEN MARCHED UNDER THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS, TO-WIT--CAPTAIN RICHARD BALLINGER, MAJOR HARDINMAN AND COL. DABNEY TO NEAR WILLIAMSBURG, AND WAS THERE STATIONED. AFTER THE BATTLE COMMENCED AT WILLIAMSBURG ANOTHER EXPRESS CAME FROM GEN'L LA FAYETTE TO MARCH INTO BATTLE. WHEN THE REGIMENT THAT WE WERE IN ARRIVED THE BATTLE WAS OVER, AND OUR REGIMENT WAS PUT INTO A BROKEN REGIMENT WHICH WAS COMMANDED TO YORK AGAINST CORNWALLIS, AT WHICH PLACE WE SERVED IN MAKING BREASTWORK FOR SOME TIME, AND UNTIL CORNWALLIS SURRENDERED TO GENERAL WASHINGTON, WHICH WAS OCTOBER, 1781. AFTER WALLIS SURRENDERED WE WERE PUT INTO A DETACHED COMPANY TO GUARD A BODY OF CORNWALLIS'S MEN TO WINCHESTER. AFTER MARCHING THE PRISONERS FOR SOME DISTANCE THEY WERE DELIVERED TO SOME OTHER COMPANY, AT WHICH TIME AND PLACE SAID FRAZEUR (AND SEVERAL OTHERS) GOT THEIR DISCHARGE HAND-ED TO THEM BY CAPTAIN TOLLIVER THROUGH A WINDOW. THEY THEN RETURN-ED HOME.

SWORN TO THIS 1ST DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1843. I DO FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE DEPONENT IS A MAN OF RESPECTABILITY. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 1ST DAY OF FEB., 1843.

(SIGNED) CHARLES T. LOVE, J. P. . . .

N. B. BOTH MARCUM AND PEYTON PROVE THE ENLISTMENT, SERVICE AND DISCHARGE, AND ARE CREDITABLE MEN, AND SO CERTIFIED. CRUM IS ALSO CERTIFIED TO BE CREDITABLE AND SWEARS TO THE SERVICE IN PART BUT NOT THE ENLISTMENT, NOR DISCHARGE. THEY ARE ALL UNCONNECTED WITH THE PETITIONER AND LIVE--ONE TWENTY, ANOTHER TWENTY-FOUR, AND THE THIRD THIRTY-FIVE MILES FROM THE PETITIONER, AND IT APPEARS TO BE GENERALLY BELIEVED BY THE OLD SETTLERS THAT HE CERTAINLY SERVED, & AS HE STATES.

(SIGNED) G.V.GOBLE.